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POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

Deputy McQuade prosecuted the cases this morning.

Six drunks.

Two were released.

Three were fined three dollars each and one was continued for sentence.

James A. Burton, the fly young man from Haverhill who worked the flim flam game in this city a few weeks ago, and who was caught and sentenced withdrew his appeal this morning, and will serve out the original sentence of four months in jail.

James Hennessy and Ellen Kane of Crosby street were in court charged with maintaining a liquor nuisance. The liquor inspectors testified to what they had found at the house on their visits there and no defence was offered. The Kane woman was fined $75 and Hennessey was discharged. Mrs. Kane appealed and gave bonds for her appearance before the Superior court.

James Hickey was sent to jail for fifteen days for drunkenness. Hickey is a ticket of leave man from the Concord reformatory.

The case of Susan A. Graves for alleged fraudulent conveyance of personal property was continued at the defendant's request until May 31.

John Flynn while under the influence of liquor sold some personal property which according to a contract was not his to sell. He pleaded guilty and offered to make good the damage done. He was placed on probation on condition he settled matters.

The sister of James Hickey who was sentenced to jail for 15 days, a hard working young girl, asked the court to impose a fine on her brother as she wanted him to go to work and live at home. The court rather than take money from such a young girl, placed Hickey on probation, withdrawing the sentence, and gave him some sound advice.

Michael Welch, the man who stole a hat from the Lowell One Price Clothing company, was fined $12 and $3 for drunkenness.

One man took the poor debtor's oath before Judge Hadley after court was over.

McPherson was arraigned in court this morning.

Five very small girls ranging in age from 6 to 17 years were present as witnesses against him.

He pleaded not guilty to the charge of assault and battery, and retained as counsel Hon. J. H. Morrison.

The case was called but owing to the tender age of the children it was thought best to have their parents present when they will be examined and a continuance was allowed until tomorrow.

McPherson was held in $500 bonds.

It is thought another charge will be brought against him.

J. E. SHANLEY & CO.

The Right Will Triumph—The Truth Will Prevail—The Mystery Sale a Complete Success.

Lowell, May 21st.—12 Midnight. It's almost too late to write advertisements. We ought to be at home and at rest. (We are tired enough surely.) But we can't leave until we say a word about our sale. Now that it is known that we are the people who are really going to vacate our store and sell out our stock, and that we are the originators of the mystery sale, let us inform you that the mystery is not all solved yet. Keep guessing; there is something more to come later.

P. S.—We heard of two other stores that have copied part of our advertisement word for word; but all these are imitators—none genuine sales. We are the only house that positively state over our signature that we are going to vacate our store.

N. B.—We had the greatest crowd ever known in Lowell at a similar sale. Our doors were closed and locked repeatedly, as we could not handle the trade. Come tomorrow. Don't delay. Open at 8 o'clock.

J. E. SHANLEY & Co.,
The place of the Great Mystery Sale.

The Catholic Union.

The Catholic Union will meet in Mechanics hall tomorrow evening to listen to a very select musical program. After the entertainment committees will be appointed to bring in a list of candidates to be balloted for at the next meeting. Every member is expected to attend.

"Mystery."

It was a mystery to us where all the people and money came from that flocked into our store Monday and Tuesday. At this rate it is perfectly evident that it will not take all summer to reduce our $40,000 stock. We handled our immense crowd with ease as at the low prices our goods are marked people decided to purchase at once. Our black goods are the finest and colored goods the rarest. Don't miss this sale.

P. S.—We did not burn the midnight oil to write this ad. J. V. KEYES & Co.

James F. O'Donnell,

PRACTICAL UNDERTAKER,

Always on Time.

Market Street, Corner of Worthen.

All the latest designs in fine pleasure vehicles.

Our Business Wagons are specially constructed to withstand the wear of pavements and car tracks.

We can save you money. Get our prices and look over our assortment before you purchase elsewhere.

FAY BROS. & HOSFORD.

BENSON DEAD

Shock to the Community in Which He Lived.

ONE OF THE STAUNCHEST MEMBERS OF THE DEMOCRACY.

Late Councilman Was Highly Respected Throughout the City.

Councilman William T. Benson of Ward Six is dead.

Such was the sad news bulletined by the daily papers yesterday afternoon.

It was shocking news and caused a great sensation, for it was almost impossible to believe that the popular councilman who but a few days since walked through the city, apparently in good health, had passed away.

For years past he had been troubled periodically with hernia, and with age his sufferings with the illness increased. An operation became necessary, and realizing this, he made preparations and entered St. John's hospital Saturday.

Yesterday morning the operation, a very difficult one, was performed by Drs. Irish of this city, Marshall, a well known specialist of Boston, and a number of local physicians and was fairly successful.

The patient after the operation had full control of his mental faculties and although in a critical condition, it was hoped he would rally and overcome the effects of the operation.

But, unhappily such was not the case and in the early afternoon, his nurses, the good sisters who were constantly at his bedside, became aware of a change which betokened the coming of death, and at his request a messenger was sent for a clergyman. Revs. Fr. Burns, O M. I. and Fr. Dacey, O. M. I., responded quickly, the former administering the last sacrament, the dying man having made his confession on the previous day to his pastor, Rev. Fr. Ronan.

His relatives were notified of the approaching end, and at 3.20 o'clock surrounded by the clergymen and sisters, fully conscious of and well prepared for his approaching end, William T. Benson, one of Lowell's most popular citizens closed his eyes in death.

His Life.

William T. Benson was 44 years of age and was born in Southbridge, Mass.

When but three months old his parents' removed to this city, where he lived until his death.

He received his early education in the local public schools, receiving a grammar school diploma. Not blessed with worldly goods, he entered the employ of L. W. Faulkner & Sons, upon leaving school, and there learned his trade, that of finishing.

While but an apprentice learning his trade he gave evidence of qualities which afterwards made him popular throughout the city, namely honesty, faithfulness and perseverance, and he rose gradually to the position of foreman of his department which position he held for twelve years, gaining by his efforts the confidence and respect of both employers and workmen.

He retired from Faulkner's, some 10 years ago entering business for himself, and for the past nine years had conducted a successful grocery business at 152 Lawrence street possessing with his other good qualities considerable business ability.

His political career which was without a blemish is mentioned elsewhere.

His family consisted of his wife, two sons, now deceased, one daughter, and his aged mother and to these he was presumably devoted being known throughout the city a veritable home body, an affectionate son, loving husband and devoted father.

The comforts of the fireside were far dearer to him than the passing pleasure of public life and he belonged to but few societies. He was formerly a leading spirit in the old Celtic associates, and was prominently known in connection with the Knights of Columbus and Division 11, A. O. H., being president of the latter society for a number of years.

He was a zealous Catholic, and a faithful attendant of St. Peter's church in which parish he resided.

To say that he will be missed, is unnecessary, for men possessing so many good qualities, as did he, are always missed when removed from our midst. Mr. Benson was a friend to everyone, and he was never known in public or private life to make an enemy, and it is a well known fact that on many occasions he had put aside his own interests to further those of his friends. In the poor of Ward Six he took a particularly active interest, and to assist them, he put away all thoughts of creed, and political persuasion, they were all alike to him. To the men who fought and bled for our country's flag he was a sincere friend, in and out of politics, and at the camp fire, or around the banquet board he was always an honored guest with the veterans.

But, now he is dead, and a sudden gloom is cast over the section of the city in the interest of which he labored untiringly.

He is mourned universally, and to his distracted family is tendered the sympathy and condolence of an entire community.

His Political Career.

Mr. Benson was called upon on four different occasions to serve his fellow citizens in public office.

In 1879, after a spirited contest, he was chosen to the common council from Ward Three. Associated with him from the same ward were Henry P. Morris, Edward Cawley and Patrick A. Rogers.

The following year he was favored with a re-election, and with Peter H. Donahoe, Patrick A. Rogers and Frank Wood, the deceased looked after the interests of his ward.

For a time he forsook political life, but at the request of a great many Ward Six voters, where he then resided, he entered the field of councilmanic candidates in 1892, and was successful.

In '93 the people returned him to the council and his name was prominently mentioned in connection with the presidency of the council. With the assistance of his friends he acquired the honorable position, receiving the thirteen democratic votes, the republican votes going to James O'Sullivan.

It was in this year that he displayed his unflinching democracy by holding back his committees until Mayor Pickman had named the aldermanic members. By this course the committees of the government were made democratic.

This year, being re-elected, he again became a candidate for the presidency. It was conceded on all hands, after the caucus of the democratic members that Mr. Benson would be the next president. But all hopes vanished when several of the democratic members of the council joined the republicans, and elected Mr. Sparks to succeed Mr. Benson. No one felt a defeat more than Mr. Benson did this one.

His colleagues in the common council feel his death keenly, and when the sad news reached them their words of sympathy spoke volumes. The democratic party of the city has lost a staunch supporter in his death, and the city has lost one of the truest and best democrats who ever served her interests.

The democrats of Ward Six will meet tonight in the ward room to take action on the death of Councilman William T. Benson.

Mr. Benson's Funeral.

The funeral of the late Councilman William T. Benson will occur tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from St. Peter's church.

Prompt to Act.

Mayor Pickman has called a special meeting of the aldermen for this evening to take action on the death of Councilman Benson.

The flags on all the public buildings of the city are at half mast.

The council meeting will be held at 8 o'clock tonight and suitable action will be taken on the death of the late councilman. His desk and chair in the council chamber are draped in mourning, and a bouquet of lilies and roses have been placed on the desk.

At city hall, the deceased councilman's death is sincerely mourned by all, and on every side could be heard expressions of sympathy for "Poor Billy."

LAKEVIEWS' THEATRE

Was Opened For the Summer Season With Weather Below Par—Excellent Minstrel Show Presented.

At Lakeview park, yesterday, the theatrical season opened, and in spite of the frigidity of the atmosphere a large audience was present, afternoon and evening. The theatre has undergone many desirable changes by which larger audiences can be accommodated.

The attraction yesterday, which will hold the boards this week, was Gilbert's high class minstrels of Boston, a collection of fine vocalists, comedians and dancers. The first part kept the audience in roars. The Messrs. Mack manipulated the tambos and the Messrs. Emerson the bones, on the ends and with Interlocutor Scammman they cracked many timely jokes. A novel feature in the first part was the interspersing of several pretty young ladies who sang in chorus. The second part was not quite as lively as the first but will be all right before the week is ended as it will be toned up somewhat. Emerson's stump speech was quite funny and "Billy" Short's buck and wing dancing and his fine solos were well received.

A large crowd enjoyed dancing during the afternoon and evening. The street railway company will do better than ever before in putting more electrics on the route, and outside the city faster time will be made so that the homeward trip will be quickly made. Performances in the theatre will be given twice daily.

THEIR HONORED GUEST.

Rev. Fr. Bodfish of Canton Broke Bread with the Young Men of Berkeley Temple, Boston.

That the world "do move" as a preacher of color once said, is illustrated by a remarkable incident in Boston last night. At Rev. C. A. Dickinson's church, the young men's institute had its annual supper, and as the honored guest of the occasion was Rev. Fr. J. P. Bodfish of Canton. This is said to be the first instance where a Catholic clergyman attended a Congregational meeting in New England.

The innovation is understood to have been partly due to a desire to honor one of the most broad-minded and popular representatives of the mother of all Christian denominations, and partly to a desire to rebuke that class of Protestants who, during the past few years have been active in the movement known as the A. P. A., upon which the Berkeley temple wished to put the stamp of its unqualified disapproval.

Fr. Bodfish delivered the most interesting speech of the evening, his subject being, "The Catholic Citizen." He received an extraordinarily warm greeting and was frequently applauded during his remarks.

DEATHS.

Elizabeth H. Trow, aged 71 years, died yesterday at her home in East Billerica.

Sarah A. Boardman, aged 32 years, died yesterday at her home, 7 Gates street. She leaves three children.

Daniel, infant son of Daniel, the well known fireman, and Jessie Crowley, died yesterday at their home, 37 Clarke street.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts,

LOCAL NOTES.

The outing club of the Y. M. C. A., goes to Concord next Saturday on a buckboard.

The only intention recorded at the city clerk's office today was: Francis Cote, 22, to Olivia Levanque, 23.

The alarm from box 39, at 11.30 last night, was for a blaze in Ed. Murphy's block on Broadway, near Fletcher street.

An explosion of naphtha caused a slight blaze in Shaw's steam fitting shop on Middlesex street, last evening. Damage was slight.

The Salvation Army will hold a travelers' union meeting Wednesday evening, at which all the members will appear with something to show what trade employs them.

A pleasant assembly was held at the residence of "Joe" Raymond on Concord street last evening. A delightful entertainment was held at which Mr. Peter Hayden favored the company with several difficult yet well rendered piano solos. He also rendered pleasing vocal selections. Dancing was enjoyed and a collation served.

ATTEMPTED BLACKMAIL.

A Young Doctor the Object of Somebody's Ire.

Dr. A. E. A. McCann of this city, has placed in the hands of the police several letters which he has received from some unknown enemy during the past year, accusing him of improprieties, threatening his life and ordering him out of town. All the letters are anonymous and there are indications that the writer is a woman. Letters were also sent to undesirable patients, asking them to call at his office, and some were sent to patients denouncing the doctor. There were no demands made for money.

A Birthday Party.

An enjoyable party occurred last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Barnes on Main street in honor of Miss Susie Bellyea, it being her birthday anniversary. An excellent musical program was contributed to by Miss Margaret Coleman on the violin, Mr. Curtis McOwen, and Mr. George Barnes. The young lady was the recipient of a silk umbrella and several fine pieces of fancy work, Mr. Joseph Coleman making the presentation. Dancing, games and refreshments filled in the time pleasantly until midnight.

The Forester's Convention.

The Lowell delegates to the grand court of Foresters which convened in Lawrence at noontime went down on an early train in a body.

CHARGES NOT PROVEN.

SUCH IS THE ANTICIPATED REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE.

Noble Investigating Committee Met Behind Closed Doors, But the Doings of the Committee Got Out Just the Same.

"The charges have not been proven."

Such is the verdict of a majority of the Noble investigating committee.

The committee met last evening behind closed doors and reviewed the testimony as taken by Stenographer Rollins. Great stress was laid by Councilman O'Connell on the fact that Noble denied having given Lovejoy a bill at the much talked about street committee meeting and O'Connell when asked by Councilman Custy how he knew the marked money, is said to have replied that he knew it from the testimony of Lovejoy, in whom he has confidence.

Chairman O'Connor in reviewing the testimony said it was plain that there is a bad feeling against Noble, by two members, Lovejoy and Kittredge, because of of the former's vote in the council and street committee.

Relative to the passing of the money, if any was passed, no one knows it is the same money, that was shown here at the investigation. If the testimony on this point came from outsiders, matters might be different. As it is, I cannot consider the case sustained.

After more wrangling, Councilman Barclay offered a motion that a report be submitted at the next meeting, stating that the evidence offered in the charge preferred against Councilman Noble, is not sufficient to sustain the allegation. Councilman Custy seconded the motion and it passed. Councilman Barclay, Custy and O'Connor in favor and Councilmen O'Connell and Tryder against. The report was then declared adopted.

A Minority Report.

Councilmen O'Connell and Tryder did considerable wrangling, and were informed by the chairman that it is their privilege to present a minority report. It is probable that they will do so.

Boys,

now is your chance, a bat and ball given with 1 pound of our 50c. tea purchased this week. The U. S. Tea Co., corner Central and Prescott streets.

Wanted—A Leader.

Three attempts yesterday were made to get a meeting of the unemployed city laborers but each failed. The reason assigned by the men was the lack of a leader.

Bullet Hole In His Lip.

AUGUSTA, Me., May 22.—Augustus Sawyer, residing in Monmouth, was found dead in a stall of his barn, covered with hay, yesterday afternoon. Sawyer was 70 years old and a bachelor. He is supposed to have had money in his house. Foul play is feared, as there was a bullet hole in the dead man's upper lip.

John L's Benefit.

BOSTON, May 22.—John L. Sullivan was given a testimonial benefit last night at the Casino, and 3000 people paid anywhere from $1 to $5 to see him spar. Sullivan made his appearance in the final bout of the evening with the veteran Paddy Ryan. The show itself was only fair.

Jugular Vein Was Severed.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 22.—Medical Examiner Swan held an autopsy on the body of Mrs. Ellen Wilson, who was murdered by her insane husband. He says death must have resulted within two minutes after the assault, as the razor severed the jugular vein.

Eminent Counsel Engaged.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The trial of Erastus Wiman for appropriating the funds of R. G. Dun & Co. has been set down for May 28. Wiman will be defended by ex-Secretary of the Navy Tracy and James N. Greenshields, queen's counsellor of Montreal.

Money For Greek Sufferers.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The appeal for contributions to relieve the great distress in Greece, caused by the recent earthquakes, has enabled the editors of The Atlantis to send $500 to the United States minister at Athens.

Friends Helped Them Out.

PROVIDENCE, May 22.—Harry Hallen and Eva Harland, charged with shoplifting goods from two Providence jewelry firms, admitted their guilt, and their fines, amounting to more than $100, were paid by friends.

A Big Discount.

BOSTON, May 22.—The famous yacht Puritan was sold under the hammer yesterday to Charles A. Welch, Jr., for $4700. The Puritan cost more than $23,000 to build. General Paine bought her at auction for $13,500, and yesterday the first bid on her was $3000.

Vasquez Was at New York.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The Press says ex-President Vasquez of Honduras has been in this city for the last three weeks and has been stopping at the Metropolitan hotel. He is traveling incognito. Learning that his identity had been discovered he has left the city.

The Price of a Vote.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The special committee appointed to investigate the charges of bribery met yesterday. Senator Kyle testified that Mr. Butz had offered him money for his vote, saying that he could have $75,000, and made an offer of $14,000 down.

Officials Disagree.

HAVERHILL, Mass., May 22.—W. A. Mowry, superintendent of public schools, has resigned. He states that he finds it impossible to conduct the schools as they should be conducted in harmony with the school board. His resignation was accepted.

Miss Marlowe to Wed.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The Herald's Washington correspondent gives an interview with Julia Marlowe, in which she says she is to marry Robert Taber, her former leading man, in New York, about two weeks hence.

Their Arrest Uncalled For.

MAYENCE, May 22.—The two Frenchmen who were arrested here for making sketches of the forts have been released. They proved that they were tourists, and had no sinister motive in making sketches.

Egyptian Porters on Strike.

PORT SAID, May 22.—Two thousand porters employed on the wharves here struck yesterday. The strikers made several desperate attacks upon the men who remained at work.

Fine Weather For Shooting.

HATTERAS, N. C., May 22.—The presidential party is at Bodies island shooting snipe and marsh birds along the shore. The weather is cool and bracing.

WATERS ARE FALLING.

LOSSES BY FLOODS WILL REACH $1,500,000.

The Empire State Suffers Very Severely—Much Stock Drowned and Crops are Ruined.

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—Advices from the flooded districts indicate that the storm has spent its force and that the waters have begun to fall in those localities where the danger has seemed greatest. Other places farther down the swollen streams are threatened, but the worst is probably known.

The loss to property is terrible, and cannot even be approximated until the waters recede and accounts are cast up. The gas and electric light plants are under water and the city is without light.

Dispatches from Williamsport say that the flood reached its maximum height at 7 o'clock last night, when it was 35 feet above low water mark on the river register, and was eight feet deep on the pavement of the courthouse in the center of the city. The moment was an anxious one, and another foot meant still greater destruction. Already the waves were lapping the windowsills of the second stories of hundreds of houses. Will it go higher? Eager watchers scanned the register, trembling with mingled hope and fear.

The 35-foot mark proved an insurmountable barrier. For an hour the water hung at that point, and then, to the intense relief of thousands of anxious hearts, it began slowly to recede.

A 9 o'clock it had fallen a foot and was still going down, slowly to be sure, but surely enough to lift a terrible load from a multitude of hearts. All now feel that the worst has come and gone. The river has made a new record, 35 feet above low water. A million and a half in property has been destroyed, but so far as can be learned no lives have been lost. To give the losses in detail will be impossible. It cannot even be approximated, and the estimate of $1,500,000 is a conservative one.

NEW YORK'S DELUGE.

Bridges Wrecked, Live Stock Drowned and Crops Ruined.

BUFFALO, May 22.—Four days' continuous rain leaves this section of the state in a badly flooded condition, and creeks emptying into rivers have overflowed their banks and done an untold amount of damage.

Gill creek has flooded the entire Echola district, a suburb of Niagara Falls. Streets are under water and cellars are full. Residents are moving about on rafts.

Muddy Run creek on the Canadian side was a raging torrent and weakened and carried away parts of bridges. There were several landslides, but no severe damage.

At Leroy the Oatka creek has overflowed its banks and reached the highest point ever known. Cellars and low lying residences are flooded. The creek is a furious torrent and it is possible that one or two milldams will be carried away. Tree fences, dead cattle and other stock are passing down the creek. Farmers report many sheep drowned and crops ruined.

At Batavia the Tonawanda creek has overflowed its banks, doing considerable damage. On West Main street houses and small barns have been carried away, and the crops in gardens ruined.

At Lockport it has been raining almost incessantly since Thursday. Eighteen Mile creek, on which the factories are located, is very high. Lowlands in the valley north of the city are submerged, and crops have suffered severely.

At Medina Oak Orchard creek has nearly reached high water mark, and is rapidly rising. Crops on the lowlands are entirely submerged and ruined.

The rain continues to descend at Bath, and the Cohocton river is rapidly rising and will soon overflow its banks in the village near the Soldiers' Home. Traffic is blocked, the water being five feet deep on the highways.

Olean once more is an island and East Olean is a miniature Venice. The Allegany has been sweeping everything before it. In the streets of Portville the water is four or five feet deep. Not as much damage will be done as in 1889, perhaps, because the mills have been able this time to hold their logs, which got away from them in the other flood, and smashed houses and swept buildings from their foundations.

The Raging Mississippi.

ST. PAUL, May 22.—The Mississippi river is still rising rapidly. The district below the high bridge has grown into a veritable lake. A few outhouses on the flat it is impossible to reach at all. In many houses the kitchens are a foot deep with water. Over on the west side the condition of affairs is not quite so disastrous, the land being higher. There is little danger of a further rise unless there comes another heavy rain.

Panic Reigns at Lewisburg.

LEWISBURG, Pa., May 22.—The whole Susquehanna valley is inundated and the destruction and destitution is widespread. Lockhaven and Milton are in great distress, being under five feet of water. The waterworks, gasworks and electric light plant here have been stopped, and, until the flood recedes, the town will be without light or water. A number of bridges have been carried away and there have been extensive washouts. Hundreds of families are homeless and destitute of provisions. Millions of feet of logs and cut lumber and buildings of every description have swept past here. Business has been suspended and the streets are filled with an anxious and excited throng.

Bridge Holds Them.

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—Six three-masted schooners and a canal boat were carried from their moorings in the Schuylkill river by the flood, and lie jammed against South street bridge. The Mary Lord, one of the schooners, is sunk in mid-channel; the others are more or less damaged, and their weight threatens to carry away the bridge at any minute.

Danger Has Passed.

BRADFORD, Pa., May 22.—The flood has subsided here and the heavy downfall of rain has ceased. All danger is probably over. Property loss thus far on account of the flood in this city, $25,000.

The Columbia Is Safe.

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—The United States cruiser Columbia, for the safety of which some uneasiness has been felt, is reported at anchor off Bombay Hook, opposite Chester.

A Fatal Snake Bite.

WINSTED, Conn., May 22.—Michael Buckley of Rivington is dying from a snake bite received last Saturday when he was attacked by a 10-foot black snake.

HAWAII

The Constitution Soon to Go Into Effect.

OUTLINE OF THE DOCUMENT AS DRAFTED.

The Japanese Government is Directly Interested.

HONOLULU, May 15, via San Francisco, May 22.—The constitution convention, the members of which were elected on May 3, will meet on May 30. The new constitution will be presented to the convention for its approval.

The new government is to be called the Republic of Hawaii. The executive power will be vested in the president. The executive council will consist of five members, instead of four as at present, a minister of health and education being added. The upper house will consist of 15 senators. Senators must be 30 years old, able to read and write English, shall have resided in the islands three years, own property not less than $3000 in value and have an income of $1200 a year.

The assembly or lower house is to consist of 15 members, six from Oahu and three each from the other islands. They will serve two years only. A member of the assembly must be a citizen of Hawaii or of any country which has treaty relations with Hawaii, and have resided in the islands for a year, able to read and write the English or Hawaiian language, except in case of those who voted in the recent election.

Present Administration Acceptable.

Meetings of the legislature are to be held every two years. Each session is limited to 90 days and neither house can adjourn more than two days without the consent of the other. The president will have the power of veto, which can be overruled by a two-thirds vote of both houses. It is the present intention to have President Dole reappointed for a term of two years, possibly six, after which the offices will be filled by regular elections. It is more likely that the present ministers will be retained for a year, as their appointment rests with the president.

The new constitution can be amended or revised in the ordinary way, but it is expressly stipulated that amendments containing a proposition for the establishment of a monarchial form of government shall not be presented. Members of both houses are to receive $400 for each session. About 3750 votes were cast at the recent election. There was very little opposition on any of the islands.

The claim is now made that when the republic is declared, the natives will make the looked-for uprising. Royalist leaders say they are only restrained by the expressed wish of the ex-queen, who still has great faith in the United States. The report that the Ranger was coming here has again put hopes of speedy restoration in the royalist hearts.

Where Japan Comes In.

The steamer Gaelic arrived here from Japan with R W. Irwin, the Hawaiian minister resident at Tokio, on board. It is supposed he has brought certain messages from the Japan government in regard to the matter of granting the franchise to the subjects of the mikado in Hawaii. It is expected that, in the event of a franchise being refused to the Japanese, their government intends to cut off treaty relations with Hawaii and to recall all Japanese in the islands.

If this is so, it will be a serious thing for the planters, as the present number of contract laborers is largely made up of Japanese, and it would be next to impossible to replace them in less than a year. Mr. Irwin is reticent on the subject, but it is known that he was the bearer of some dispatches to the government, and a special meeting of the council was held yesterday to discuss the matter.

As Viewed by the Engineers.

ST. PAUL, May 22.—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers adopted a resolution in regard to the bill before the senate to prevent interference with mail trains, declaring that it was a pernicious bill, "the purpose of which is to prevent organizations from securing by the only fair means in their power redress for their grievances and just compensation for their services."

The Armor Plate Frauds.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The proposed congressional investigation of the Carnegie armor plate frauds was reported favorably today by Representative Outhwaite of the house rules committee. The projectors of the investigation expect to have it under way the latter part of the week.

Concerning Wool.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—It is understood that Attorney General Olney has rendered an opinion in which he holds that the statutes allowing the bonded warehousing of wool apply only to original importations and do not apply to re-importations after the wool has once been exported.

Maine Schooner Stranded.

MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., May 22.—The three-masted schooner A. F. Crockett of Rockland, Me., with a crew of six men, was stranded on the Jersey coast at Harvey island. The crew took to the rigging and were rescued by a volunteer crew of lifesavers.

Will Prove a Boomerang

BERLIN, May 22.—The news of the Servian coup has made but a small impression here. All the papers declare that it will damage King Alexander's dynasty more than his country.

An Invite From Irving

LONDON, May 22.—Henry Irving has invited Admiral Erben and the officers of the United States cruiser Chicago to attend a performance at the Lyceum theater

The ideal Summer Scarf is the White Pongee Silk Four-in-Hand.

Ideal, because it's stylish, light in weight as in color, and economical.

We've just received twenty-five dozens of these ideal scarfs, made alike on both sides—so they're reversible. Price 25c. each.

Half a dozen of these to wear with your Negligee Sirts will fit you out for summer.

We've the right kind of Shirts too.

PUTNAM & SON,

ONE-PRICE CLOTHIERS,

Central Street, Cor. Warren.

A GOLDEN MARK

IN THE MARRIED LIFE OF MR. AND MRS. FREDERICK HOLTON.

Event the Occasion of Many Congratulations For the Happy Couple—Many Friends From Abroad Were at the Reception.

The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Holton was held yesterday at their cosy home 178 Pawtucket street, on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage.

Many friends of the happy couple took advantage of the event and tendered their congratulations.

During Mr. Holton's long and honorable career in Lowell he has been a prominent figure in the community, and has been identified more or less with the growth and development of the city, having resided here 54 years.

Mr. Holton was born in Northfield, Mass., in 1815, thus being 79 years of age. He came to Lowell in 1840 and in 1844 married Miss Clara Bowers of this city, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Dr. Blanchard of the Kirk street church. Three children blessed their union, two girls and one boy. One daughter married Mr. A. C. Russell of Boston and she and her two daughters, Miss Russell and Miss Pauline Russell were present at the wedding. The other daughter married Mr. F. P. Pearson of Boston, and the son, Charles F. Holton, who resides in Everett, Washington, is still unmarried.

For many years Mr. Holton was engaged in the shoe business on Merrimack street and afterwards in the real estate business. Later still, he travelled for a shoe firm four years and when last engaged in business was conducting a prosperous wholesale shoe business in Boston. His business was burned out in the fire of 1872 and since then he has lived a retired, peaceful life at his home on Pawtucket street having resided there since coming to Lowell. He entered politics in 1840 while in Michigan and in this city was elected to the common council in 1856-57 in the latter presiding over the body, and in 1763 64 was in the legislature. He could have had many other political offices had he desired them.

He assisted in the organization of the Richardson light infantry and the Butler rifles.

The celebration of yesterday was a delightfully informal affair, the reception lasting from 4 till 8 o'clock. Among the immediate relatives from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Holton, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Mann and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Shepard of Medford, Mrs. John Twombley of Winchester, Mrs. H. W. Warren of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hedge of South Boston, the latter being Mrs. Holton's sister, Mr and Mrs. Walter Jenney of South Boston, Miss Charlotte Taylor, Mrs Charles Tinkham and Mrs. Leonard Lawrence of Boston, and Thomas Pearson of North Adams, also Mrs. Russell's eldest daughter, Mrs. L. W. Ham of Brookline. Mrs. Henry Carroll of Belvidere, another of Mrs. Holton's sisters, assisted in receiving.

The happy couple received many gifts from their numerous friends, including beautiful floral tributes from friends as far away as Florida. The son Charles F. was unable to be present but he sent congratulations. A congratulatory letter was received from the Richardson light infantry.

The Kimball Sale.

The sale of the John F. Kimball property embracing the real estate and personal property was held at five o'clock yesterday afternoon, with a large attendance present and Simon P. Harris wielding the hammer. The real estate started at $5000 and advanced rapidly until $10,000 was reached. It then went a little slower and was finally knocked down for $14,575 to Dr. James O'Sullivan, with the proviso that Mrs. Kimball retain her right of dower. The personal property also brought good prices.

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2 O'CLOCK

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POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

Deputy McQuade prosecuted the cases this morning.

Six drunks.

Two were released.

Three were fined three dollars each and one was continued for sentence.

James A. Burton, the fly young man from Haverhill who worked the film flam game in this city a few weeks ago, and who was caught and sentenced withdrew his appeal this morning, and will serve out the original sentence of four months in jail.

James Hennessy and Ellen Kane of Crosby street were in court charged with maintaining a liquor nuisance. The liquor inspectors testified to what they had found at the house on their visits there and no defence was offered. The Kane woman was fined $75 and Hennessey was discharged. Mrs. Kane appealed and gave bonds for her appearance before the Superior court.

James Hickey was sent to jail for fifteen days for drunkenness. Hickey is a ticket of leave man from the Concord reformatory.

The case of Susan A. Graves for alleged fraudulent conveyance of personal property was continued at the defendant's request until May 31.

John Flynn while under the influence of liquor sold some personal property which according to a contract was not his to sell. He pleaded guilty and offered to make good the damage done. He was placed on probation on condition he settled matters.

The sister of James Hickey who was sentenced to jail for 15 days, a hard working young girl, asked the court to impose a fine on her brother as she wanted him to go to work and live at home. The court rather than take money from such a young girl, placed Hickey on probation, withdrawing the sentence, and gave him some sound advice.

Michael Welch, the man who stole a hat from the Lowell One Price Clothing company, was fined $12 and $3 for drunkenness.

One man took the poor debtor's oath before Judge Hadley after court was over.

McPherson was arraigned in court this morning.

Five very small girls ranging in age from 6 to 17 years were present as witnesses against him.

He pleaded not guilty to the charge of assault and battery, and retained as counsel Hon. J. H. Morrison.

The case was called but owing to the tender age of the children it was thought best to have their parents present when they will be examined and a continuance was allowed until tomorrow.

McPherson was held in $500 bonds.

It is thought another charge will be brought against him.

J. E. SHANLEY & CO.

The Right Will Triumph—The Truth Will Prevail—The Mystery Sale a Complete Success.

Lowell, May 21st.—12 Midnight. It's almost too late to write advertisements. We ought to be at home and at rest. (We are tired enough surely.) But we can't leave until we say a word about our sale. Now that it is known that we are the people who are really going to vacate our store and sell out our stock, and that we are the originators of the mystery sale, let us inform you that the mystery is not all solved yet. Keep guessing; there is something more to come later.

P. S.—We heard of two other stores that have copied part of our advertisement word for word; but all these are imitators—none genuine sales. We are the only house that positively state over our signature that we are going to vacate our store.

N. B.—We had the greatest crowd ever known in Lowell at a similar sale. Our doors were closed and locked repeatedly, as we could not handle the trade. Come tomorrow. Don't delay. Open at 8 o'clock.

J. E. SHANLEY & Co.,
The place of the Great Mystery Sale.

The Catholic Union.

The Catholic Union will meet in Mechanics hall tomorrow evening to listen to a very select musical program. After the entertainment committees will be appointed to bring in a list of candidates to be balloted for at the next meeting. Every member is expected to attend.

"Mystery."

It was a mystery to us where all the people and money came from that flocked into our store Monday and Tuesday. At this rate it is perfectly evident that it will not take all summer to reduce our $40,000 stock. We handled our immense crowd with ease as at the low prices our goods are marked people decided to purchase at once. Our black goods are the finest and colored goods the rarest. Don't miss this sale.

P. S.—We did not burn the midnight oil to write this ad. J. V. KEYES & Co.

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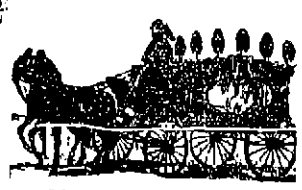
PRACTICAL UNDERTAKER,



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BENSON DEAD

Shock to the Community in Which He Lived.

ONE OF THE STAUNCHEST MEMBERS OF THE DEMOCRACY.

Late Councilman Was Highly Respected Throughout the City.

Councilman William T. Benson of Ward Six is dead.

Such was the sad news bulletined by the daily papers yesterday afternoon.

It was shocking news and caused a great sensation, for it was almost impossible to believe that the popular councilman who but a few days since walked through the city, apparently in good health, had passed away.

For years past he had been troubled periodically with hernia, and with age his sufferings with the illness increased. An operation became necessary, and realizing this, he made preparations and entered St. John's hospital Saturday.

Yesterday morning the operation, a very difficult one, was performed by Drs. Irish of this city, Marshall, a well known specialist of Boston, and a number of local physicians and was fairly successful.

The patient after the operation had full control of his mental faculties and although in a critical condition, it was hoped he would rally and overcome the effects of the operation.

But, unhappily such was not the case and in the early afternoon, his nurses, the good sisters who were constantly at his bedside, became aware of a change which betokened the coming of death, and at his request a messenger was sent for a clergyman. Revs. Fr. Burns, O. M. I. and Fr. Dacey, O. M. I., responded quickly, the former administering the last sacrament, the dying man having made his confession on the previous day to his pastor, Rev. Fr. Ronan.

His relatives were notified of the approaching end, and at 3.20 o'clock surrounded by the clergymen and sisters, fully conscious of and well prepared for his approaching end, William T. Benson, one of Lowell's most popular citizens closed his eyes in death.

His Life.

William T. Benson was 44 years of age and was born in Southbridge, Mass.

When but three months old his parents' removed to this city, where he lived until his death.

He received his early education in the local public schools, receiving a grammar school diploma. Not blessed with worldly goods, he entered the employ of L. W. Faulkner & Sons, upon leaving school, and there learned his trade, that of finishing.

While but an apprentice learning his trade he gave evidence of qualities which afterwards made him popular throughout the city, namely honesty, faithfulness and perseverance, and he rose gradually to the position of foreman of his department which position he held for twelve years, gaining by his efforts the confidence and respect of both employers and workmen.

He retired from Faulkner's, some 10 years ago entering business for himself, and for the past nine years had conducted a successful grocery business at 152 Lawrence street possessing with his other good qualities considerable business ability.

His political career which was without a blemish is mentioned elsewhere.

His family consisted of his wife, two sons, now deceased, one daughter, and his aged mother and to these he was presumably devoted being known throughout the city a veritable home body, an affectionate son, loving husband and devoted father.

The comforts of the fireside were far dearer to him than the passing pleasure of public life and he belonged to but few societies. He was formerly a leading spirit in the old Celtic associates, and was prominently known in connection with the Knights of Columbus and Division 11, A. O. H., being president of the latter society for a number of years.

He was a zealous Catholic, and a faithful attendant of St. Peter's church in which parish he resided.

To say that he will be missed, is unnecessary, for men possessing so many good qualities, as did he, are always missed when removed from our midst. Mr. Benson was a friend to everyone, and he was never known in public or private life to make an enemy, and it is a well known fact that on many occasions he had put aside his own interests to further those of his friends. In the poor of Ward Six he took a particularly active interest, and to assist them, he put away all thoughts of creed, and political persuasion, they were all alike to him. To the men who fought and bled for our country's flag he was a sincere friend, in and out of politics, and at the camp fire, or around the banquet board he was always an honored guest with the veterans.

But, now he is dead, and a sudden gloom is cast over the section of the city in the interest of which he labored untiringly.

He is mourned universally, and to his distracted family is tendered the sympathy and condolence of an entire community.

His Political Career.

Mr. Benson was called upon on four different occasions to serve his fellow citizens in public office.

In 1870, after a spirited contest, he was chosen to the common council from Ward Three. Associated with him from the same ward were Henry P. Morris, Edward Cawley and Patrick A. Rogers.

The following year he was favored with a re-election, and with Peter H. Donahoe, Patrick A. Rogers and Frank Wood, the deceased looked after the interests of his ward.

For a time he forsook political life, but at the request of a great many Ward Six voters, where he then resided, he entered the field of councilmanic candidates in 1892, and was successful.

In '93 the people returned him to the council and his name was prominently mentioned in connection with the presidency of the council. With the assistance of his friends he acquired the honorable position, receiving the thirteen democratic votes, the republican votes going to James O'Sullivan.

It was in this year that he displayed his unflinching democracy by holding back his committees until Mayor Pickman had named the aldermanic members. By this course the committees of the government were made democratic.

This year, being re-elected, he again became a candidate for the presidency. It was conceded on all hands, after the caucus of the democratic members that Mr. Benson would be the next president. But all hopes vanished when several of the democratic members of the council joined the republicans, and elected Mr. Sparks to succeed Mr. Benson. No one felt a defeat more than Mr. Benson did this one.

His colleagues in the common council feel his death keenly, and when the sad news reached them their words of sympathy spoke volumes. The democratic party of the city has lost a staunch supporter in his death, and the city has lost one of the truest and best democrats whe ever served her interests.

The democrats of Ward Six will meet tonight in the ward room to take action on the death of Councilman William T. Benson.

Mr. Benson's Funeral.

The funeral of the late Councilman William T. Benson will occur tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from St. Peter's church.

Prompt to Act.

Mayor Pickman has called a special meeting of the aldermen for this evening to take action on the death of Councilman Benson.

The flags on all the public buildings of the city are at half mast.

The council meeting will be held at 8 o'clock tonight and suitable action will be taken on the death of the late councilman. His desk and chair in the council chamber are draped in mourning, and a bouquet of lilies and roses have been placed on the desk.

At city hall, the deceased councilman's death is sincerely mourned by all, and on every side could be heard expressions of sympathy for "Poor Billy."

LAKEVIEWS' THEATRE

Was Opened For the Summer Season With Weather Below Par—Excellent Minstrel Show Presented.

At Lakeview park, yesterday, the theatrical season opened, and in spite of the frigidity of the atmosphere a large audience was present, afternoon and evening. The theatre has undergone many desirable changes by which larger audiences can be accommodated.

The attraction yesterday, which will hold the boards this week, was Gilbert's high class minstrels of Boston, a collection of fine vocalists, comedians and dancers. The first part kept the audience in roars. The Messrs. Mack manipulated the tambos and the Messrs. Emerson the bones, on the ends and with Interlocutor Scammman they cracked many timely jokes. A novel feature in the first part was the interspersing of several pretty young ladies who sang in chorus. The second part was not quite as lively as the first but will be all right before the week is ended as it will be toned up somewhat. Emerson's stump speech was quite funny and "Billy" Short's buck and wing dancing and his fine solos were well received.

A large crowd enjoyed dancing during the afternoon and evening. The street railway company will do better than ever before in putting more electrics on the route, and outside the city faster time will be made so that the homeward trip will be quickly made. Performances in the theatre will be given twice daily.

THEIR HONORED GUEST.

Rev. Fr. Bodfish of Canton Broke Bread with the Young Men of Berkeley Temple, Boston.

That the world "do move" as a preacher of color once said, is illustrated by a remarkable incident in Boston last night. At Rev. C. A. Dickinson's church, the young men's institute had its annual supper, and as the honored guest of the occasion was Rev. Fr. J. P. Bodfish of Canton. This is said to be the first instance where a Catholic clergyman attended a Congregational meeting in New England.

The innovation is understood to have been partly due to a desire to honor one of the most broad-minded and popular representatives of the mother of all Christian denominations, and partly to a desire to rebuke that class of Protestants who, during the past few years have been active in the movement known as the A. P. A., upon which the Berkeley temple wished to put the stamp of its unqualified disapproval.

Fr. Bodfish delivered the most interesting speech of the evening, his subject being, "The Catholic Citizen." He received an extraordinarily warm greeting and was frequently applauded during his remarks.

DEATHS.

Elizabeth H. Trow, aged 71 years, died yesterday at her home in East Billerica.

Sarah A. Boardman, aged 82 years, died yesterday at her home, 7 Gates street. She leaves three children.

Daniel, infant son of Daniel, the well known fireman, and Jessie Crowley, died yesterday at their home, 37 Clarke street.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts.

LOCAL NOTES.

The outing club of the Y. M. C. A., goes to Concord next Saturday on a buckboard.

The only intention recorded at the city clerk's office today was: Francis Cote, 22, to Olivia Levanque, 23.

The alarm from box 39, at 11.30 last night, was for a blaze in Ed. Murphy's block on Broadway, near Fletcher street.

An explosion of naphtha caused a slight blaze in Shaw's steam fitting shop on Middlesex street, last evening. Damage was slight.

The Salvation Army will hold a travelers' union meeting Wednesday evening, at which all the members will appear with something to show what trade employs them.

A pleasant assembly was held at the residence of "Joe" Raymond on Concord street last evening. A delightful entertainment was held at which Mr. Peter Hayden favored the company with several difficult yet well rendered piano solos. He also rendered pleasing vocal selections. Dancing was enjoyed and a collation served.

ATTEMPTED BLACKMAIL.

A Young Doctor the Object of Somebody's Ire.

Dr. A. E. A. McCann of this city, has placed in the hands of the police several letters which he has received from some unknown enemy during the past year, accusing him of improprieties, threatening his life and ordering him out of town. All the letters are anonymous and there are indications that the writer is a woman. Letters were also sent to undesirable patients, asking them to call at his office, and some were sent to patients denouncing the doctor. There were no demands made for money.

A Birthday Party.

An enjoyable party occurred last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Barnes on Main street in honor of Miss Susie Bullyea, it being her birthday anniversary. An excellent musical program was contributed to by Miss Margaret Coleman on the violin, Mr. Curtis McOwen, and Mr. George Barnes. The young lady was the recipient of a silk umbrella and several fine pieces of fancy work, Mr. Joseph Coleman making the presentation. Dancing, games and refreshments filled in the time pleasantly until midnight.

The Forester's Convention.

The Lowell delegates to the grand court of Foresters which convened in Lawrence at noontime went down on an early train in a body.

CHARGES NOT PROVEN.

SUCH IS THE ANTICIPATED REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE.

Noble Investigating Committee Met Behind Closed Doors, But the Deluge of the Committee Got Out Just the Same.

"The charges have not been proven."

Such is the verdict of a majority of the Noble investigating committee.

The committee met last evening behind closed doors and reviewed the testimony as taken by Stenographer Rollins. Great stress was laid by Councilman O'Connell on the fact that Noble denied having given Lovejoy a bill at the much talked about street committee meeting and O'Connell when asked by Councilman Custy how he knew the marked money, is said to have replied that he knew it from the testimony of Lovejoy, in whom he has confidence.

Chairman O'Connor in reviewing the testimony said it was plain that there is a bad feeling against Noble, by two members, Lovejoy and Kittredge, because of of the former's vote in the council and street committee.

Relative to the passing of the money, if any was passed, no one knows it is the same money, that was shown here at the investigation. If the testimony on this point came from outsiders, matters might be different. As it is, I cannot consider the case sustained.

After more wrangling, Councilman Barclay offered a motion that a report be submitted at the next meeting, stating that the evidence offered in the charge preferred against Councilman Noble, is not sufficient to sustain the allegation. Councilman Custy seconded the motion and it passed. Councilman Barclay, Custy and O'Connor in favor and Councilmen O'Connell and Tryder against. The report was then declared adopted.

A Minority Report.

Councilmen O'Connell and Tryder did considerable wrangling, and were informed by the chairman that it is their privilege to present a minority report. It is probable that they will do so.

Boys,

now is your chance, a bat and ball given with 1 pound of our 50c. tea purchased this week. The U. S. Tea Co., corner Central and Prescott streets.

Wanted—A Leader.

Three attempts yesterday were made to get a meeting of the unemployed city laborers but each failed. The reason assigned by the men was the lack of a leader.

Bullet Hole In His Lip.

AUGUSTA, Me., May 22.—Augustus Sawyer, residing in Monmouth, was found dead in a stall of his barn, covered with hay, yesterday afternoon. Sawyer was 70 years old and a bachelor. He is supposed to have had money in his house. Foul play is feared, as there was a bullet hole in the dead man's upper lip.

John L.'s Benefit.

BOSTON, May 22.—John L. Sullivan was given a testimonial benefit last night at the Casino, and 800 people paid anywhere from $1 to $5 to see him spar. Sullivan made his appearance in the final bout of the evening with the veteran Paddy Ryan. The show itself was only fair.

Jugular Vein Was Severed.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 22.—Medical Examiner Swan held an autopsy on the body of Mrs. Ellen Wilson, who was murdered by her insane husband. He says death must have resulted within two minutes after the assault, as the razor severed the jugular vein.

Eminent Counsel Engaged.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The trial of Erastus Wiman for appropriating the funds of R. G. Dun & Co. has been set down for May 28. Wiman will be defended by ex-Secretary of the Navy Tracy and James N. Greenshields, queen's counsellor of Montreal.

Money For Greek Sufferers.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The appeal for contributions to relieve the great distress in Greece, caused by the recent earthquakes, has enabled the editors of The Atlantis to send $500 to the United States minister at Athens.

Friends Helped Them Out.

PROVIDENCE, May 22.—Harry Hallen and Eva Harland, charged with shoplifting goods from two Providence jewelry firms, admitted their guilt, and their fines, amounting to more than $100, were paid by friends.

A Big Discount.

BOSTON, May 22.—The famous yacht Puritan was sold under the hammer yesterday to Charles A. Welch, Jr., for $4700. The Puritan cost more than $23,000 to build. General Paine bought her at auction for $13,500, and yesterday the first bid on her was $3000.

Vasquez Was at New York.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The Press says ex-President Vasquez of Honduras has been in this city for the last three weeks and has been stopping at the Metropolitan hotel. He is traveling incognito. Learning that his identity had been discovered he has left the city.

The Price of a Vote.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The special committee appointed to investigate the charges of bribery met yesterday. Senator Kyle testified that Mr. Butz had offered him money for his vote, saying that he could have $75,000, and made an offer of $14,000 down.

Officials Disagree.

HAVERHILL, Mass., May 22.—W. A. Mowry, superintendent of public schools, has resigned. He states that he finds it impossible to conduct the schools as they should be conducted in harmony with the school board. His resignation was accepted.

Miss Marlowe to Wed.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The Herald's Washington correspondent gives an interview with Julia Marlowe, in which she says she is to marry Robert Taber, her former leading man, in New York, about two weeks hence.

Their Arrest Uncalled For.

MAYENCE, May 22.—The two Frenchmen who were arrested here for making sketches of the forts have been released. They proved that they were tourists, and had no sinister motive in making sketches.

Egyptian Porters on Strike.

PORT SAID, May 22.—Two thousand porters employed on the wharves here struck yesterday. The strikers made several desperate attacks upon the men who remained at work.

Fine Weather For Shooting.

HATTERAS, N. C., May 22.—The presidential party is at Bodies island shooting snipe and marsh birds along the shore. The weather is cool and bracing.

WATERS ARE FALLING.

LOSSES BY FLOODS WILL REACH $1,500,000.

The Empire State Suffers Very Severely—Much Stock Drowned and Crops are Ruined.

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—Advices from the flooded districts indicate that the storm has spent its force and that the waters have begun to fall in those localities where the danger has seemed greatest. Other places farther down the swollen streams are threatened, but the worst is probably known.

The loss to property is terrible, and cannot even be approximated until the waters recede and accounts are cast up. The gas and electric light plants are under water and the city is without light.

Dispatches from Williamsport say that the flood reached its maximum height at 7 o'clock last night, when it was 35 feet above low water mark on the river register, and was eight feet deep on the pavement of the courthouse in the center of the city. The moment was an anxious one, and another foot meant still greater destruction. Already the waves were lapping the windowsills of the second stories of hundreds of houses. Will it go higher? Eager watchers scanned the register, trembling with mingled hope and fear.

The 35-foot mark proved an insurmountable barrier. For an hour the water hung at that point, and then, to the intense relief of thousands of anxious hearts, it began slowly to recede.

At 9 o'clock it had fallen a foot and was still going down, slowly to be sure, but surely enough to lift a terrible load from a multitude of hearts. All now feel that the worst has come and gone. The river has made a new record, 35 feet above low water. A million and a half in property has been destroyed, but so far as can be learned no lives have been lost. To give the losses in detail will be impossible. It cannot even be approximated, and the estimate of $1,500,000 is a conservative one.

NEW YORK'S DELUGE.

Bridges Wrecked, Live Stock Drowned and Crops Ruined.

BUFFALO, May 22.—Four days' continuous rain leaves this section of the state in a badly flooded condition, and creeks emptying into rivers have overflowed their banks and done an untold amount of damage.

Gill creek has flooded the entire Echola district, a suburb of Niagara Falls. Streets are under water and cellars are full. Residents are moving about on rafts.

Muddy Run creek on the Canadian side was a raging torrent and weakened and carried away parts of bridges. There were several landslides, but no severe damage.

At Leroy the Oataka creek has overflowed its banks and reached the highest point ever known. Cellars and low lying residences are flooded. The creek is a furious torrent and it is possible that one or two millدams will be carried away. Trees, fences, dead cattle and other stock are passing down the creek. Farmers report many sheep drowned and crops ruined.

At Batavia the Tonawanda creek has overflowed its banks, doing considerable damage. On West Main street houses and small barns have been carried away, and the crops in gardens ruined.

At Lockport it has been raining almost incessantly since Thursday. Eighteen Mile creek, on which the factories are located, is very high. Lowlands in the valley north of the city are submerged, and crops have suffered severely.

At Medina Oak Orchard creek has nearly reached high water mark, and is rapidly rising. Crops on the lowlands are entirely submerged and ruined.

The rain continues to descend at Bath, and the Cohocton river is rapidly rising and will soon overflow its banks in the village near the Soldiers' Home. Traffic is blocked, the water being five feet deep on the highways.

Olean once more is an island and East Olean is a miniature Venice. The Allegany has been sweeping everything before it. In the streets of Portville the water is four or five feet deep. Not as much damage will be done as in 1889, perhaps, because the mills have been able this time to hold their logs, which got away from them in the other flood, and smashed houses and swept buildings from their foundations.

The Raging Mississippi.

ST. PAUL, May 22.—The Mississippi river is still rising rapidly. The district below the high bridge has grown into a veritable lake. A few outhouses on the flat it is impossible to reach at all. In many houses the kitchens are a foot deep with water. Over on the west side the condition of affairs is not quite so disastrous, the land being higher. There is little danger of a further rise unless there comes another heavy rain.

Panic Reigns at Lewisburg.

LEWISBURG, Pa., May 22.—The whole Susquehanna valley is inundated and the destruction and destitution is widespread. Lockhaven and Milton are in great distress, being under five feet of water. The waterworks, gasworks and electric light plant here have been stopped, and, until the flood recedes, the town will be without light or water. A number of bridges have been carried away and there have been extensive washouts. Hundreds of families are homeless and destitute of provisions. Millions of feet of logs and cut lumber and buildings of every description have swept past here. Business has been suspended and the streets are filled with an anxious and excited throng.

Bridge Holds Them.

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—Six three masted schooners and a canal boat were carried from their moorings in the Schuylkill river by the flood, and lie jammed against South street bridge. The Mary Lord, one of the schooners, is sunk in mid-channel; the others are more or less damaged, and their weight threatens to carry away the bridge at any minute.

Danger Has Passed.

BRADFORD, Pa., May 22.—The flood has subsided here and the heavy downfall of rain has ceased. All danger is probably over. Property loss thus far on account of the flood in this city, $25,000.

The Columbia Is Safe.

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—The United States cruiser Columbia, for the safety of which some uneasiness has been felt, is reported at anchor off Bombay Hook, opposite Chester.

A Fatal Snake Bite.

WINSTED, Conn., May 22.—Michael Buckley of Rivington is dying from a snake bite received last Saturday when he was attacked by a 10-foot black snake.

HAWAII

The Constitution Soon to Go Into Effect.

OUTLINE OF THE DOCUMENT AS DRAFTED.

The Japanese Government is Directly Interested.

HONOLULU, May 18, via San Francisco, May 22.—The constitution convention, the members of which were elected on May 3, will meet on May 30. The new constitution will be presented to the convention for its approval.

The new government is to be called the Republic of Hawaii. The executive power will be vested in the president. The executive council will consist of five members, instead of four as at present, a minister of health and education being added. The upper house will consist of 15 senators. Senators must be 30 years old, able to read and write English, shall have resided in the islands three years, own property not less than $3000 in value and have an income of $1200 a year.

The assembly or lower house is to consist of 15 members, six from Oahu and three each from the other islands. They will serve two years only. A member of the assembly must be a citizen of Hawaii or of any country which has treaty relations with Hawaii, and have resided in the islands for a year, able to read and write the English or Hawaiian language, except in case of those who voted in the recent election.

Present Administration Acceptable.

Meetings of the legislature are to be held every two years. Each session is limited to 90 days and neither house can adjourn more than two days without the consent of the other. The president will have the power of veto, which can be overruled by a two-thirds vote of both houses. It is the present intention to have President Dole reappointed for a term of two years, possibly six, after which the offices will be filled by regular elections. It is more likely that the present ministers will be retained for a year, as their appointment rests with the president.

The new constitution can be amended or revised in the ordinary way, but it is expressly stipulated that amendments containing a proposition for the establishment of a monarchial form of government shall not be presented. Members of both houses are to receive $400 for each session. About 3750 votes were cast at the recent election. There was very little opposition on any of the islands.

The claim is now made that when the republic is declared, the natives will make the looked-for uprising. Royalist leaders say they are only restrained by the expressed wish of the ex-queen, who still has great faith in the United States. The report that the Ranger was coming here has again put hopes of speedy restoration in the royalist hearts.

Where Japan Comes In.

The steamer Gaelic arrived here from Japan with R. W. Irwin, the Hawaiian minister resident at Tokio, on board. It is supposed he has brought certain messages from the Japan government in regard to the matter of granting the franchise to the subjects of the mikado in Hawaii. It is expected that, in the event of a franchise being refused to the Japanese, their government intends to cut off treaty relations with Hawaii and to recall all Japanese in the islands.

If this is so, it will be a serious thing for the planters, as the present number of contract laborers is largely made up of Japanese, and it would be next to impossible to replace them in less than a year. Mr. Irwin is reticent on the subject, but it is known that he was the bearer of some dispatches to the government, and a special meeting of the council was held yesterday to discuss the matter.

As Viewed by the Engineers.

ST. PAUL, May 22.—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers adopted a resolution in regard to the bill before the senate to prevent interference with mail trains, declaring that it was a pernicious bill, "the purpose of which is to prevent organizations from securing by the only fair means in their power redress for their grievances and just compensation for their services."

The Armor Plate Frauds.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The proposed congressional investigation of the Carnegie armor plate frauds was reported favorably today by Representative Outhwaite of the house rules committee. The projectors of the investigation expect to have it under way the latter part of the week.

Concerning Wool.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—It is understood that Attorney General Olney has rendered an opinion in which he holds that the statutes allowing the re-warehousing of wool apply only to original importations and do not apply to re-importations after the wool has once been exported.

Maine Schooner Stranded.

MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., May 22.—The three-masted schooner A. F. Crockett of Rockland, Me., with a crew of six men, was stranded on the Jersey coast at Harvey island. The crew took to the rigging and were rescued by a volunteer crew of lifesavers.

Will Prove a Boomerang.

BERLIN, May 22.—The news of the Servian coup has made but a small impression here. All the papers declare that it will damage King Alexander's dynasty more than his country.

An Invite From Irving.

LONDON, May 22.—Henry Irving has invited Admiral Erben and the officers of the United States cruiser Chicago to attend a performance at the Lyceum theater.

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Event the Occasion of Many Congratulations For the Happy Couple—Many Friends From Abroad Were at the Reception.

The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Holton was held yesterday at their cosy home 178 Pawtucket street, on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage.

Many friends of the happy couple took advantage of the event and tendered their congratulations.

During Mr. Holton's long and honorable career in Lowell he has been a prominent figure in the community, and has been identified more or less with the growth and development of the city, having resided here 54 years.

Mr. Holton was born in Northfield, Mass., in 1816, thus being 79 years of age. He came to Lowell in 1840 and in 1844 married Miss Clara Bowers of this city, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Dr. Blanchard of the Kirk street church. Three children blessed their union, two girls and one boy. One daughter married Mr. A. C. Russell of Boston and she and her two daughters, Miss Russell and Miss Pauline Russell were present at the wedding. The other daughter married Mr. F. P. Pearson of Boston, and the son, Charles F. Holton, who resides in Everett, Washington, is still unmarried.

For many years Mr. Holton was engaged in the shoe business on Merrimack street and afterwards in the real estate business. Later still, he travelled for a shoe firm four years and when last engaged in business was conducting a prosperous wholesale shoe business in Boston. His business was burned out in the fire of 1872 and since then he has lived a retired, peaceful life at his home on Pawtucket street having resided there since coming to Lowell. He entered politics in 1840 while in Michigan and in this city was elected to the common council in 1856-57 in the latter presiding over the body, and in 1763 64 was in the legislature. He could have had many other political offices had he desired them.

He assisted in the organization of the Richardson light infantry and the Butler rifles.

The celebration of yesterday was a delightfully informal affair, the reception lasting from 4 till 8 o'clock. Among the immediate relatives from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Holton, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Mann and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Shepard of Medford, Mrs. John Twombley of Winchester, Mrs. H. W. Warren of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hedge of South Boston, the latter being Mrs. Holton's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jenney of South Boston, Miss Charlotte Taylor, Mrs. Charles Tinkham and Mrs. Leonard Lawrence of Boston, and Thomas Pearson of North Adams, also Mrs. Russell's eldest daughter, Mrs. L. W. Ham of Brookline, Mrs. Henry Carroll of Belvidere, another of Mrs. Holton's sisters, assisted in receiving.

The happy couple received many gifts from their numerous friends, including beautiful floral tributes from friends as far away as Florida. The son Charles F. was unable to be present but he sent congratulations. A congratulatory letter was received from the Richardson light infantry.

The Kimball Sale.

The sale of the John F. Kimball property embracing the real estate and personal property was held at five o'clock yesterday afternoon, with a large attendance present and Simon P. Harris wielding the hammer. The real estate started at $5000 and advanced rapidly until $10,000 was reached. It then went a little slower and was finally knocked down for $14,575 to Dr. James O'Sullivan, with the proviso that Mrs. Kimball retain her right of dower. The personal property also brought good prices.

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NO OTHER.

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FALL RIVER is trying to reconcile herself to her police commission.

THE GOVERNOR and his council are not of one mind on various matters.

HAVERHILL IS now having her innings on license deals. Lowell may have her turn next.

THE CENTRAL LABOR union is becoming very aggressive in tone and rightly so. Otherwise it will never get anything.

THE ALDERMEN had better not stand out against voting for the sewer loan. It may prove a political whirlpool for some.

THE COMMITTEE that went to Philadelphia to investigate a cremator should have something good to recommend to the city council.

IT IS a notable fact that Mgr. Satolli visited the Waterbury high school and made an eloquent address which pleased everybody.

THE UNEMPLOYED of the city demand prompt attention from the city council. The sewer appropriation should be made tomorrow night.

"PANIS ET CIRCENSES," bread and circuses was the cry of the ancient Romans; but the people of this city cry "more sewers, more work."

THE MAYOR of Woburn is assailed for refusing to sign certain licenses. After all the mayor of a city can exercise some discretion in the matter of signing licenses.

ANY DELAY upon the construction of the Centralville sewer will entail loss to the city. The stakes are now set and the sewer so far as excavated is almost filled with water.

THE REFERENDUM does not go down with the corporations and the aristocrats. The kind of referendum the legislature is preparing to give will not go down with the people.

SENATOR MILLS is peculiarly happy in calling some men by their proper names. He has dubbed our own Senator Hoar "the pharisee from Massachusetts" which is an apt appellation.

Pawtucket is the last place to be devastated by fire. Too bad!—Haverhill Gazette.

Does the Gazette long to see some other city visited by a conflagration?

WHY SHOULD the state furnish rapid transit for Boston? Lowell is ready to accept a bounty for providing more rapid transit than she has at present without at all complaining of the street railroad.

THAT PLACE upon the commission for the unemployed is yet unfilled. Carey was rejected by the executive council. It seems at present there is a disposition to delay the matter until nothing of importance can be done. Is the governor a party to any such subterfuge? We think not.

THE Massachusetts High school battalion will have its annual competitive drill in Reading on May 29th. This is an annual event which causes the boys to give too much attention to drill and too little to their studies. It is generally conceded that the boys would be better not to have such a drill.

COXEY sentenced to jail with many of his followers! The courts seem to stand unawed by the great general whose expedition was almost as unsuccessful as that of Napoleon when he marched to Moscow and found the city in ashes. The next problem for Coxey to solve is how to get his army home. The march outward was bad enough but the return will be worse.

THE REPUBLICANS in congress are [illegible] among themselves. Some want [illegible] the bill if possible, others, the [illegible], want to help the dem[illegible] a conclusion of some [illegible] the country may suffer [illegible] the evil effects of suspense on tariff matters. But the bill will pass despite their opposition.

COUNCILMAN BENSON DEAD.

The friends of William T. Benson, and they are numerous throughout the city, sustained a severe shock yesterday afternoon on hearing of his sudden and unexpected death.

The nature of his illness was such that his recovery could not at any stage be predicted with any degree of certainty; but nobody thought he would drop off in such a short time. To his bereaved family goes out the heartfelt sympathy of all who knew him in life, for none knew Wm. T. Benson whether officially or in his private capacity as a man, but recognized in him a man of strict integrity, unflinching honesty of purpose, a sterling democrat and a sincere Catholic.

He served with honor in the common council of 1879 and 1880, and was again elected in 1891 and successively in 1892 and 1893. During his official career he sacrificed personal interests for principle and party loyalty; and never on any occasion was he known to betray his constituents or to vote against his party. By all who knew him politically he was acknowledged to be one of the best democrats in the city, the friend of labor and of the poor, the champion of the weak, the advocate of justice, rectitude and straightforward dealing. Having been through life a man of exemplary character, of noble instincts, sound judgment, unassuming manners and genial disposition, his death is a loss not only to his bereaved family and his ward but to the entire community.

THERE IS something defective in the engineering that allows a dam to be built without making all necessary provisions against floods. It was supposed that the Johnstown catastrophe would cause all danger of this character to be removed but strange to say a dam at Williamsport not far from Johnstown has burst but with less appalling results. The people were warned of the danger and had betaken themselves to safe ground before the dam gave way. Had the break occurred at night the result might have been a repetition of the Johnstown deluge.

GET READY for the report of the investigating committee. It will not be unanimous. Mr. O'Connell and Mr. Tryder will probably make a minority report pronouncing Mr. Noble guilty of the charges preferred if nothing more. It will be remembered that the committee were not sworn as jurymen but this makes but little difference perhaps inasmuch as the testimony was not sworn to and it is just as well that it wasn't.

Some innocent person asks: Do the corporations or the people own the legislature? The corporations, of course.—Boston Republic.

There has not been much legislation opposed to large corporations this year. This has not been the fault of the house so much as the senate which seems to be owned with the exception of a few democrats by the corporations. Massachusetts has undoubtedly a corporation senate.

THE BOARD of arbitration should have the strike of the ingrain weavers in the Lowell Manufacturing company, settled at once. The strikers have done nothing to bring about a settlement although idle now for several weeks.

CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

A Laugh In Church.

Funny things happen in church sometimes. The other evening Rev. Mr. Maiden, who is conducting a revival at the Baptist church, was exhorting sinners to come forward and be prayed for at the close of the evening service. A pew had been reserved for those so inclined right in the front of the pulpit. The exhortation had continued for some few minutes, and no one had responded, when the doors softly opened, and State Treasurer Lon V. Stephens entered. He glanced around, and observing the vacant bench walked slowly down the aisle and sat down. As he did so the voice of the revivalist rang out:

"And even the rich man hearkened unto the voice of the Lord."

There was a titter in the congregation which neither the minister nor Mr. Stephens understood. Pastor Johnson, who was on the platform, turned several shades of red, and when he exclaimed: "He doesn't mean you, Brother Stephens. He doesn't mean you," the suppressed titter broke out into a laugh. There was not much solemnity about the conclusion of the service that evening.—Jefferson City (Mo.) Tribune.

Too Much.

Elder Sister—Come, Stanley, take your powder like a little man. You never hear me making any complaint about such a little thing as that.

Stanley (peevishly)—Neither would I if I could daub it on my face. It is swallerin it that I object to.—Brooklyn Life.

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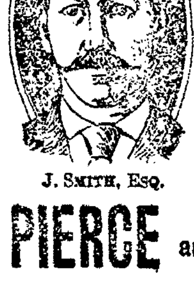

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"I believe you are right, my dear," said Mr. Chugwater soothingly. "Perhaps it would hurry him up a little if you would—h'm—go out there awhile."—Chicago Tribune.

Good Reason Too.

Mr. Charles A. Davis is a theatrical man who stutters, and sometimes he stutters very badly. He has been lying off for a season. The other day a friend incidentally inquired why he was going back to work again.

"Why, I w-w-w-went back to w-w-w-work because it w-w-w-was [illegible] trouble to ex-p-p-plain w-w-w-why I wasn't w-w-w-working."—New York Herald.

A Brilliant Talker.

"How do you like your new neighbor, Mr. Snook?"

"He's a most charming man and a magnificent conversationalist. Why, last evening he listened to me explaining my evolution theories for two hours and never chipped in a word."—Exchange.

A Lucky Invalid.

The New York doctors charge a great deal more than do the Texas doctors. Colonel McBride Sumpter of Austin, who was quite ill during his recent visit to New York, is our authority for the assertion.

He was in bed three or four days at his hotel, and when the bill was presented he took a piece of paper and a pencil and figured out how much more he had to pay in New York than he would have had to pay in Texas for the same amount of indisposition. Having got through his calculation, he folded his hands resignedly and said:

"I am lucky in being sick here in New York instead of being laid up in Texas."

"Ah!" said the doctor.

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7 45	8 35	9 05	10 15
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NO OTHER.

The only penny paper in Lowell receiving cable and telegraphic dispatches is THE SUN. We print the latest news of the world up to the time of going to press with each edition.

FALL RIVER is trying to reconcile herself to her police commission.

THE GOVERNOR and his council are not of one mind on various matters.

HAVERHILL is now having her innings on license deals. Lowell may have her turn next.

THE CENTRAL LABOR union is becoming very aggressive in tone and rightly so. Otherwise it will never get anything.

THE ALDERMEN had better not stand out against voting for the sewer loan. It may prove a political whirlpool for some.

THE COMMITTEE that went to Philadelphia to investigate a cremator should have something good to recommend to the city council.

IT IS a notable fact that Mgr. Satolli visited the Waterbury high school and made an eloquent address which pleased everybody.

THE UNEMPLOYED of the city demand prompt attention from the city council. The sewer appropriation should be made tomorrow night.

"PANIS ET CIRCENSES," bread and circuses was the cry of the ancient Romans; but the people of this city cry "more sewers, more work."

THE MAYOR of Woburn is assailed for refusing to sign certain licenses. After all the mayor of a city can exercise some discretion in the matter of signing licenses.

ANY DELAY upon the construction of the Centralville sewer will entail loss to the city. The stakes are now set and the sewer so far as excavated is almost filled with water.

THE REFERENDUM does not go down with the corporations and the aristocrats. The kind of referendum the legislature is preparing to give will not go down with the people.

SENATOR MILLS is peculiarly happy in calling some men by their proper names. He has dubbed our own Senator Hoar "the pharisee from Massachusetts" which is an apt appellation.

Pawtucket is the last place to be devastated by fire. Too bad!—Haverhill Gazette.

Does the Gazette long to see some other city visited by a conflagration?

WHY SHOULD the state furnish rapid transit for Boston? Lowell is ready to accept a bounty for providing more rapid transit than she has at present without at all complaining of the street railroad.

THAT PLACE upon the commission for the unemployed is yet unfilled. Carey was rejected by the executive council. It seems at present there is a disposition to delay the matter until nothing of importance can be done. Is the governor a party to any such subterfuge? We think not.

THE Massachusetts High school battalion will have its annual competitive drill in Reading on May 29th. This is an annual event which causes the boys to give too much attention to drill and too little to their studies. It is generally conceded that the boys would be better not to have such a drill.

COXEY sentenced to jail with many of his followers! The courts seem to stand unawed by the great general whose expedition was almost as unsuccessful as that of Napoleon when he marched to Moscow and found the city in ashes. The next problem for Coxey to solve is how to get his army home. The march outward was bad enough but the return will be worse.

THE REPUBLICANS in congress are wrangling among themselves. Some want to defeat the bill if possible, others, the patriotic contingent, want to help the democrats in reaching a conclusion of some kind in order that the country may suffer no longer from the evil effects of suspense on tariff matters. But the bill will pass despite their opposition.

COUNCILMAN BENSON DEAD.

The friends of William T. Benson, and they are numerous throughout the city, sustained a severe shock yesterday afternoon on hearing of his sudden and unexpected death.

The nature of his illness was such that his recovery could not at any stage be predicted with any degree of certainty; but nobody thought he would drop off in such a short time. To his bereaved family goes out the heartfelt sympathy of all who knew him in life, for none knew Wm. T. Benson whether officially or in his private capacity as a man, but recognized in him a man of strict integrity, unflinching honesty of purpose, a sterling democrat and a sincere Catholic.

He served with honor in the common council of 1879 and 1880, and was again elected in 1891 and successively in 1892 and 1893. During his official career he sacrificed personal interests for principle and party loyalty; and never on any occasion was he known to betray his constituents or to vote against his party. By all who knew him politically he was acknowledged to be one of the best democrats in the city, the friend of labor and of the poor, the champion of the weak, the advocate of justice, rectitude and straightforward dealing. Having been through life a man of exemplary character, of noble instincts, sound judgment, unassuming manners and genial disposition, his death is a loss not only to his bereaved family and his ward but to the entire community.

THERE is something defective in the engineering that allows a dam to be built without making all necessary provisions against floods. It was supposed that the Johnstown catastrophe would cause all danger of this character to be removed but strange to say a dam at Williamsport not far from Johnstown has burst but with less appalling results. The people were warned of the danger and had betaken themselves to safe ground before the dam gave way. Had the break occurred at night the result might have been a repetition of the Johnstown deluge.

GET READY for the report of the investigating committee. It will not be unanimous. Mr. O'Connell and Mr. Tryder will probably make a minority report pronouncing Mr. Noble guilty of the charges preferred if nothing more. It will be remembered that the committee were not sworn as jurymen but this makes but little difference perhaps inasmuch as the testimony was not sworn to and it is just as well that it wasn't.

Some innocent person asks: Do the corporations or the people own the legislature? The corporations, of course.—Boston Republic.

There has not been much legislation opposed to large corporations this year. This has not been the fault of the house so much as the senate which seems to be owned with the exception of a few democrats by the corporations. Massachusetts has undoubtedly a corporation senate.

THE BOARD of arbitration should have the strike of the ingrain weavers in the Lowell Manufacturing company, settled at once. The strikers have done nothing to bring about a settlement although idle now for several weeks.

CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

A Laugh in Church.

Funny things happen in church sometimes. The other evening Rev. Mr. Maiden, who is conducting a revival at the Baptist church, was exhorting sinners to come forward and be prayed for at the close of the evening service. A pew had been reserved for those so inclined right in the front of the pulpit. The exhortation had continued for some few minutes, and no one had responded, when the doors softly opened, and State Treasurer Lon V. Stephens entered. He glanced around, and observing the vacant bench walked slowly down the aisle and sat down. As he did so the voice of the revivalist rang out:

"And even the rich man hearkened unto the voice of the Lord."

There was a titter in the congregation which neither the minister nor Mr. Stephens understood. Pastor Johnson, who was on the platform, turned several shades of red, and when he exclaimed: "He doesn't mean you, Brother Stephens. He doesn't mean you," the suppressed titter broke out into a laugh. There was not much solemnity about the conclusion of the service that evening.—Jefferson City (Mo.) Tribune.

Too Much.

Elder Sister—Come, Stanley, take your powder like a little man. You never hear me making any complaint about such a little thing as that.

Stanley (peevishly)—Neither would I if I could daub it on my face. It is swallerin it that I object to.—Brooklyn Life.

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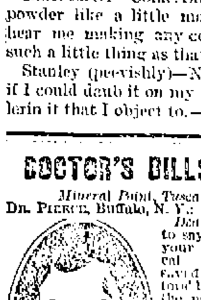

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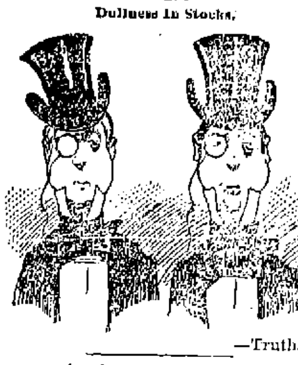

—Truth.

As a Measure of Economy.

"It's taking that painter out there in the kitchen the whole day to paint the woodwork," snapped Mrs. Chugwater, "and he could do it easily in two hours. That's what comes of having a handsome young chit of a girl for a cook!"

"I believe you are right, my dear," said Mr. Chugwater soothingly. "Perhaps it would hurry him up a little if you would—h'm—go out there awhile."—Chicago Tribune.

Good Reason Too.

Mr. Charles A. Davis is a theatrical man who stutters, and sometimes he stutters very badly. He has been lying off for a season. The other day a friend incidentally inquired why he was going back to work again.

"Why, I w-w-w-went back to w-w-w-work because it w-w-w-was so—so—so much trouble to ex-p-p-plain w-w-w-why I wasn't w-w-w-working."—New York Herald.

A Brilliant Talker.

"How do you like your new neighbor, Mr. Snook?"

"He's a most charming man and a magnificent conversationalist. Why, last evening he listened to me explaining my evolution theories for two hours and never chipped in a word."—Exchange.

A Lucky Invalid.

The New York doctors charge a great deal more than do the Texas doctors. Colonel McBride Sumpter of Austin, who was quite ill during his recent visit to New York, is our authority for the assertion.

He was in bed three or four days at his hotel, and when the bill was presented he took a piece of paper and a pencil and figured out how much more he had to pay in New York than he would have had to pay in Texas for the same amount of indisposition. Having got through his calculation, he folded his hands resignedly and said:

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"Ah!" said the doctor.

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[illegible] I was troubled [illegible] everything I ate [illegible]

[illegible] paper and being [illegible] of the benefit [illegible] had received from it, I [illegible]

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[illegible] Drug Store in this city, they being the [illegible] FROM THE FIRST [illegible] and continued to improve and after taking two bottles I had a hearty appetite and could digest almost anything I ate. [illegible] a dozen friends, and all I have heard from, have received great benefit [illegible].

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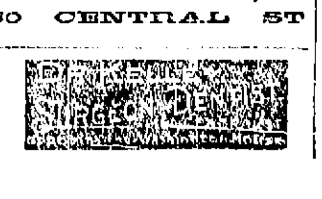

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THE CROPS

Good Prospects from New England States.

FROST HAS CAUSED DAMAGE TO SOME CROPS.

The Fruit Crop Accounted Good and Prospects for Fall Encouraging.

BOSTON, May 22.—The New England weather service, United States weather bureau, issues the following weather-crop bulletin for the week ending May 21, 1894.

All the first part of the past week was cold, dry and windy, with frequent frosts. At West Milan, N. H., the temperature fell to 27° on the morning of the 15th, and to 28° on the mornings of the 16th and 17th; on the latter date ground froze here in many places. At Northfield, Vt., the temperature fell to 33° on the 15th, 34° on the 16th and 30° on the 17th. Ice formed at Holden, Me. These are extreme cases, however, and generally while frosts were experienced on lowlands, the higher ground escaped injury. For the week, as a whole, the temperature at Boston averaged nearly 3° a day below the normal. It was very close to the normal at New London, Conn

Copious rains have fallen throughout New England since the 18th, and strong, cold easterly winds have prevailed. In northern and eastern Maine the rainfall has been from one-fourth to one-half an inch, and in south central and southern Maine from one to two inches. Slightly more than one-fourth of an inch fell in northern New Hampshire and Vermont, and over three-fourths of an inch in the central and southern parts of those states. From three-fourths of an inch to nearly one and one-fourth inches have fallen in northeastern Massachusetts, while 1.46 inches fell at Hyannis on Cape Cod and only 0 20 inches at Nantucket. Half an inch fell at Block Island, R. I., and three-fourths of an inch at Kingston, on the adjoining mainland. At New London the fall was 0.61 inch; at Greenfield Hill, in the southwestern part of the state, it was 1.33 inches; at West Simsbury, in the northwestern part, the fall reached 2.96 inches, and at South Manchester, across the Connecticut river from the last named place, it was 2.24 inches. At West Simsbury the rainfall on the 19th and 20th was more than for the previous six weeks.

Maine.

The correspondents from Maine report favorable weather for team work, and much has been done, but the wind has hindered seed sowing, and the pastures and newly seeded pieces have felt its drying influence very much. Potatoes and other vegetables were slightly nipped by frost, but no damage has been reported to fruit. One advantage from the dry weather is in enabling work to be done on naturally wet land that could not be touched in average seasons. Fruit is in blossom, except in the extreme north, and is very promising.

New Hampshire.

In all the central and southern parts of New Hampshire much damage is reported from the frosts on lowlands. Beside injuring very much all early plants that were above ground, clover was damaged, and in places fruit, blossoms and leaves frozen. It is thought by some that apples and blueberries are damaged quite a good deal, though others think there will be plenty on the trees that will mature. Pastures are reported very backward and poor. The correspondent at Grafton reports that unless the weather is very favorable in June, the hay crop will be light. Much planting remains to be done in this state, though the work has been pushed rapidly.

Vermont.

All growth was very slow in Vermont until the last of the week. The correspondent at Burlington reports that some damage was done by frosts to strawberries and early vegetables in South Burlington, "some fields being entirely wiped out." At South Randolph the frost killed the grape vines and leaves. A few of the apple blossoms were turned brown, but it is not possible to tell yet whether material damage has been done to fruit or not. Many potatoes and some corn have been planted.

Massachusetts.

In Massachusetts, correspondents report that just before this rain some grass fields did not look so well as a week ago; the stalks were spindling up very thin and had begun to head out. Where this is the case, it is thought that the rain will help but little, though generally it will thicken up and be much improved. Many garden seeds failed to germinate, and all crops were growing slowly. Quite a good deal of damage was done by the frost in the eastern and southern counties. In eastern Massachusetts blackberries have set heavily and are nearly ready to blossom. Tent caterpillars are not at all plenty, but canker worms are very thick and doing damage. They are reported from West Acton, Leominster and Concord.

Rhode Island.

In Rhode Island little damage to fruits is feared by the frost, but early vegetables suffered slightly. The correspondent at Kingston reports that ice formed to the thickness of a window pane. Planting has not been yet completed, though very much has been put in. The fruit prospects continue good.

Connecticut.

There was some damage to strawberries and vegetables on lowlands in Connecticut, but as far as reported fruit was not injured. The wind and rain have lodged the rye badly in central districts, and it is feared that the high cold wind along the coast will blast much fruit.

The correspondent at Milford states that one orchardist reports his set of pears mostly on the ground, as the wind has whipped the trees badly. Peas are in blossom in the southern counties; potatoes have been hoed; corn is growing fast.

In the West and South.

For the week ending May 14, warm and dry weather prevailed over the entire eastern part of the country, except in the southern cotton belt, where rain was abundant. Light frosts were felt over most of the northern states, but no great damage was done. In North Carolina tobacco transplanting had been delayed by drought; the plants were scarce and the acreage small. In Missouri and West Virginia there was much complaint of fruit dropping. Fruit prospects were reported excellent in Nebraska and Colorado. Acreage of potatoes largely in excess of other years in Michigan and Wisconsin. Hay harvest was in progress in Arizona with heavy yield.

Will Be Great Slaughter.

BUENOS AYRES, May 22.—The government troops in Rio Grande do Sul number 20,000 men. The rebel forces under General Saraiva are not half so numerous, but it is expected that they will make a determined resistance and that there will be much fighting before they are conquered.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

California wheat is in bad condition.

Cold weather and snow prevail in England.

Democrats, including Hill, are likely to vote for the tariff bill.

The Portuguese-Argentine incident is to be settled amicably.

One and one-half million dollars gold was exported from New York today.

The Italian chamber of deputies adopted the war budget by a vote of 229 to 98.

Vincenzo Cochidi is on trial at Boston for the murder of Pasquale Sacco on Jan. 7 last.

John Dillon says Irish opposition to Rosebery means the return to power of the Tories.

Mrs. Henry B. Rogers, who gave the beautiful town hall to Fairhaven, Mass died in New York.

Twenty-five lasters in Brett's factor Hudson, Mass., struck over a disagreement concerning lasting machines.

Israel Presconset, whose back and neck were broken by being dragged over the shafting of a sausage factory, died at Providence.

The striking girl operatives at the Newton mills, Newton Upper Falls Mass., decline to resume work on a full time schedule.

Raymond Masson, formerly a student of the Massachusetts Normal Art school, has a piece of sculpture accepted for the Paris salon.

IN CONGRESS.

Senate Talks on Iron Ore—The Docking Question In the House.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The senate held an eight-hour session in debating the proposed senate duty of 40 cents a ton on iron ore. The house bill placed iron ore on the free list, and the Republicans took occasion to taunt the Democrats with inconsistency and with being false to their pledges to give the country free raw materials when they obtained control of the government. Some very sharp encounters occurred. The effort to have iron ore placed on the free list was voted down.

The early part of the proceedings in the house was devoted to a legal discussion concerning an amendment declaring that the statute which directs the sergeant-at-arms to make deductions from the salaries of members on account of absence had been repealed. The chairman ruled the amendment out of order, but was in turn overruled by the house on an appeal. The amendment was then adopted. The Democrats declared that a separate yea and nay vote on the amendment would be demanded in the house later.

Paul J. Sorg, recently elected to succeed the late Representative Houk of Ohio, was sworn in.

Attacked by a Lion.

BOSTON, May 22.—Death in a lion's jaws came near being the finale of Heinrich Mehrmann's act last night. Two thousand pairs of horrified eyes saw him knocked prostrate on the Columbia theater stage; 2000 voices rose in cries of terror as his blood splashed in the sawdust. The lion tamer seemed very near his end. But two dauntless masters of the savage beasts, William Judge and Fritz Maas, came speedily to his assistance. With blood flowing from many deep and ragged wounds, Mehrmann staggered from the ring, with a smile on his face, as he retreated from the wild and joyful applause of the audience. And the lion—coward, trembling, he sneaked to his cage before the whip of the man whom he could hate but not conquer.

Republicans Fled.

PROVIDENCE, May 22.—A remarkable session of the house of representatives was held yesterday. At 11 o'clock all members present were locked in and writs were issued for absent members and placed in the hands of a sheriff. It was 8:15 before a quorum was secured, when Wheaton Cole was expelled from his seat in the house and Claude J. Farnsworth was substituted as second representative from Pawtucket. At 4:15 Mr Farnsworth was sworn in. Only four Republicans were present during the session, the others having disappeared from the city to prevent being arrested.

A Rap at Breckinridge.

NASHVILLE, May 22.—At the general assembly of the southern Presbyterian church a resolution was offered yesterday which, while not referring to the Breckinridge case especially, stated that the assembly reaffirmed that "sins against the seventh commandment cannot be tolerated in our members." A motion to lay the resolution on the table was defeated and the resolution was then referred.

Russian Conspirators Bagged.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 22.—A clandestine press, from which large numbers of revolutionary pamphlets have been issued, has been discovered at Smolensk. From statements made by the conspirators, the police are convinced that they have made prisoners of seven people who are connected with a widespread conspiracy.

Strike Is Ended.

BROOKLYN, May 22.—The motormen and conductors who struck yesterday delegated two aldermen to interview President Morton, who finally conceded the men until July 1 to produce new uniforms. The company will not insist upon the men advancing any money for them. The men have returned to work.

Held In $5000 Bail.

HOPKINTON, Mass., May 22.—John P. Kelly and Thomas F. Kelly were arraigned before Judge Hemenway on a charge of assault with attempt to kill and murder James Rafferty. They waived examination and were held in $5000, in default of which they were taken to the Cambridge jail.

Archdeacon Brooks.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 22.—Rev. J. C. Brooks, brother of the late Bishop Brooks and rector of Christ church in this city, was yesterday elected to the archdeaconry, recently established. Bishop Lawrence presided over the gathering.

In Memory of Bishop Payne.

BALTIMORE, May 22.—A monument to the memory of Daniel A. Payne of the African Methodist church was unveiled in Laurel cemetery yesterday. The money for the monument was raised by popular subscription.

FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION Of Yesterday.

DAM BROKE

Johnstown is in Another Fearful Plight.

FLOODS IN PENNSYLVANIA CAUSING DAMAGE.

Big Loss of Life is Hourly Feared.

By Associated Press to THE SUN

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., May 21.—The most disastrous flood in the history of this place excepting the terrible flood of 1889 is now impending. The damage by the rise in the Conemaugh river has already caused a damage of $80,000, the greater part of the loss falling upon the Pennsylvania Central road. Two unknown tramps were drowned.

A report became current this morning that the dam of the big reservoir had burst and such proved the case, and the flood is rapidly assuming frightful proportions. Alarms have been sent and the people have fled to high ground.

The Lincoln bridge is guarded by police, who permit no one to cross, as the structure is being battered fiercely by floating logs and debris, and is in imminent danger of being washed from its foundation.

High Water Mark

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., May 21.—The river here is 31 feet above its mean level or one foot higher than in the flood of 1889. The city is flooded with water from a depth of 24 to 4 feet, and the water is rising at the rate of six inches an hour. This morning the great boom broke carrying with it the immense rafts of logs. The debris in its rush has carried houses, saw mills and cleared the banks of all obstruction. Telegraph wires are down and train communication is impossible.

THOSE BAD BURGLARS

HELD UNDER BONDS FOR A GRAND JURY HEARING.

Many Spectators in Police Court Heard Some Heavy Sentences Given Out by Judge Hadley.

The court room was crowded this morning, an unusually large number of women being present.

Chief Davis prosecuted and Judge Hadley administered justice.

There were thirty-three drunks, quite a record for these "hard times."

The majority of these were simple drunks and were fined. Those sentenced were William Black, 4 months in jail.

Michael Cleary, 6 months in jail; Ellen Ross, 3 months in jail; Leon Dussault, 4 months to the workhouse; Bella Walker, 3 months to jail.

James M. Bartlett when the court imposed a sentence of 6 months to the workhouse for drunkenness, asked his honor to change it to 20 months. The court complied with the prisoner's request.

Joseph Platt and Annie Young pleaded to a charge of fornication and were sent to jail for three months.

Iduil Landry, according to the testimony of Samuel J. Bernier, stole four 25 cent pieces from the latter last night. Landry and Bernier have been rooming together and Bernier has been missing money, so last night he marked four 25 cent pieces and saw Landry take them from his pocket. He then had Landry arrested. The court fined the prisoner $15 and gave him five days to pay the fine, otherwise go to jail for 2 months.

Michael Welch, for larceny of a hat from Alonson W. Beard, was found guilty and continued till tomorrow morning for sentence He protested that he was drunk when he took the hat. When the court found him guilty Welch said: "You might as well sentence me now, if I am guilty. I don't want to stay here till tomorow."

"But I want you to stay here," said Judge Hadley. "I want to inquire in your antecedents."

The case of James Ridges and William Larose charged with breaking and entering the store of Louis Starr in Little Canada was put on trial this morning.

The two defendants are the men whom Officer Lennon caught red handed Friday night.

Both pleaded not guilty and had for counsel Lawyer Rivet.

Officer Lennon testified that he went to the store and saw the men inside, bending over a large bundle in the middle of the floor.

He examined the door and found the panel broken, and related what occurred afterwards, all of which was reported in THE SUN of Saturday.

No defence was offered and the court finding probable cause held the defendants in $600 each for the grand jury.

Gen. Sweetland Held

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Gen. Sweetland, leader of the Connecticut division of the industrials pleaded not guilty in the municipal court for parading without a permit in the streets of Morrisanna. The general was held for trial later.

Farrar's Murderer Held.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WALTHAM, May 21.—The burglar who killed James H. Farrar, who was pursuing him, Saturday, was brought up in police court today and his case continued until May 31.

Rochester is Flooded.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 21.—The Gennese river has risen so rapidly that nearly every railroad track into the city is under water. Cellars are flooded and the damage is immense. Towns further up the river report very high water.

COXEY SENTENCED.

WITH HIM IN A TIGHT BOX ARE JONES AND BROWNE.

Sentenced for Displaying a Banner and for Trampling Down the Grass in the Capitol Grounds.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WASHINGTON, May 21—Before Judge Miller in the police court this morning appeared Coxey, Brown and Christopher Columbus Jones to be sentenced for violation of the law. For displaying a banner in the May day demonstration they were sentenced to 20 days in jail, and Coxey and Browne for trampling down the grass on the capitol grounds were each fined $5 or ten days in jail.

BIG SNOW STORM.

Kentucky Gets a Touch of a Greenland May Day.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

LEXINGTON, May 21.—Three inches of snow fell here yesterday, and at Somerset it was six inches deep this morning. Reports would indicate that the heavy snow storm was general all over the state.

Phil Dwyer Indicted.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., May 21.—Philip J. Dwyer, president of the Jockey club, was held for the grand jury on the charge of permitting lottery in pool selling on the Gravesend tracks. His counsel have threatened to ask for a writ of habeas corpus.

Once Worked It in Lowell.

An American adventuress has been victimizing people in Quebec for a month past and from a description she appears to be the person who victimized people in Nashua, Laconia and Manchester in the winter, and also came to Lowell and got aid from Rev. G. C. Wright of the Ministry-at-Large.

Primitive Methodist Conference.

At the annual session of the Primitive Methodist Eastern conference at Fall River, last week, the report of the Lowell district showed an increase of 10 in membership and an expenditure of $400 for improvements on the First church, Rev. C. J. Keevil was passed to third year by the conference. The recommendation of the Lowell district that Rev. T. J. Spencer be placed in charge was referred to the stationing committee.

Verdict Set Aside.

Judge Sheldon set aside the verdict of $2074 in the case of Fleming vs. the Lowell Co-operative Milk association in Superior court this morning. The jury declared that the signed paper, in settlement of damages, was secured by fraud.

The judge's decision is based on the ground that this conclusion is unsupported.

A PREPOSTEROUS IDEA.

Of Inteeest to Residents of Belvidere and to Merchants.

A well known contractor states that the most preposterous business transaction conceivable of a city council committee, is that of the attempt to compel the discontinuance of vehicle travel across the Concord river bridge on East Merrimack street for four or five months, during its reconstruction, while the same can be maintained with perfect freedom to public travel by vehicles and street cars at a small additional expense. The northerly half of the abutments on the city side can be rebuilt before removing the old bridge thus admitting an easy approach to a temporary bridge.

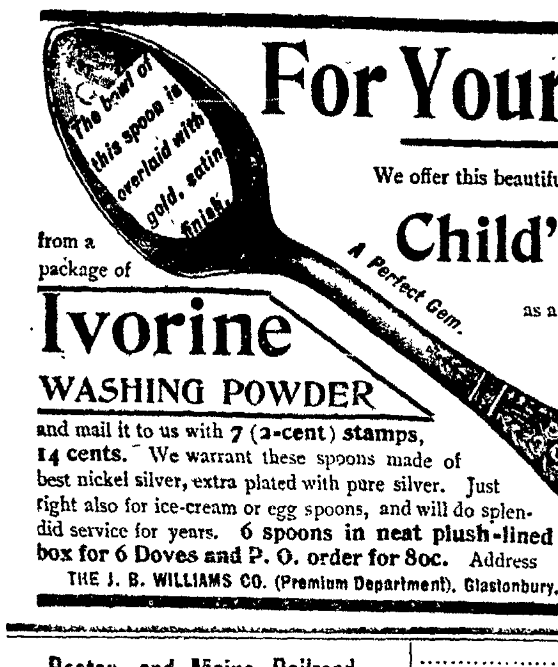
A Prize Declamation.

The Young Men's Catholic Literary society is arranging for a prize declamation contest, a public debate and a prize essay. The contests will be open to all members of the society. The prizes will be gold and silver medals, and the contests will be held the first, second, and third Sundays in September. The subject for the essays is the "Crusades" and the question, "Should education be a requisite for citizenship," will be debated.

The Cunard steamer Cephalonia arrived in Boston yesterday morning with many passengers on board for this city. Mr. Murphy, the Lowell agent met many of the arrivals at the depot in this city and conducted them to their respective homes.

Work was begun Saturday on the temporary bridge on East Merrimack street over Concord river. It will be 140 feet long and 10 feet wide. It will run from Stackpole street to a point on the west side of the river, close to the mills and nearly parallel to the present bridge.

It is reported that the Merrimack print works are to close for four weeks beginning June 16. During the suspension an addition, it is said, will be made to the bleach house. The report also is contemplated that a suspension of work in the Tremont and Suffolk mills some weeks this summer.



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For Lawrence, 8.30, 9.20, 10.50 a. m.; 12.15, 2.40 3.25, 5.10, 6.15, 6.55, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m. 12.05, 5.35, 7.30 p. m.

For Haverhill, 8.30, 9.20 a. m.; 12.15, 2.40, 3.25. 5.10, 6.15, 6.55, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.30 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 12.15, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport, 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls Saco and Portland 8.30 a.m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Bangor; Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.15, 5.10 p.m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For St. John N. B., Montreal, Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays): SUNDAY, 5.35 p. m.

For Eastport and St John's (per steamer), on Mondays and Thursdays at 12.15 p. m.

Southern Division.

Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell.

For Boston—5.45, 6.30, ¶6.50, *7.45, *8.50, ¶9.23, *9.50, 11.00 a. m.; *12.10, 1.35, 2.10, ¶3.00, 4.30, ¶5.40 p. m. SUNDAYS. ¶7.45, 8.45, *9.15 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston.—5.48, 6.34, ¶6.53, 7.01, *7.18, *7.27, *7.48, *8.57, 9.28, *9.35, *9.58, 11.03, 11.44 a. m., *12.17, 1.38, 2.13, ¶3.03, 4.02, 4.33, *5.33, ¶5.43, *4.28, 7.52, p. m. SUNDAYS, *7.17, *7.27, ¶7.48, ‡.48, *9.20 a. m.; §4.25, 6.03 p. m.

or Woburn, 6.30, §7.01, 7.35, *7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 1.35, 4.30, *§5.33, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m. §4.25, §6.03, p.m.

*Express. §Northern Depot only. ¶Via Bedford.

For Lawrence—6.30, 10.00, 11.00 a. m. 1.25, 2.10, 4.45, 5.50 p. m. SUNDAYS 9.15 a. m., 7.15 p. m.

For Salem and Way Stations—§7.38 a. m.; 1.25, 5.50 p. m. Via South Lawrence 6.30 a. m.

☞Time below is from Northern depot.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.00, 5.10 and 5.49 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.14 a. m.; 12.57, 3.43, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—9.14 a. m. and 3.43 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord 7.43, 9.14, 9.45, 12.11 a.m.; 12.57, 1.47, 3.43, (5.04 Nashua only), 5.42, 6.22, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.09, a. m. to Nashua only), 2.00, 6.00 8.13, 8.43 p. m.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.14, 9.45, 12.11, a. m.; 1.47, (5.42 Franklin only), †8.43 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—9.45 a.m.; 1.47 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a.m.; 1.47 and †8.43.

For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, †8.13 p. m.

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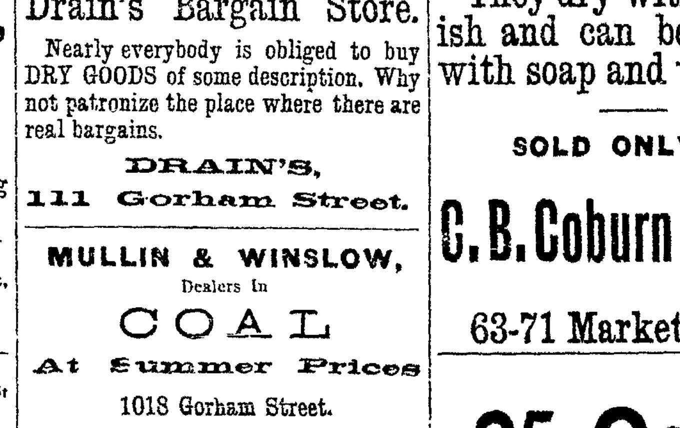

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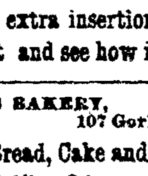

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THE CROPS

Good Prospects from New England States.

FROST HAS CAUSED DAMAGE TO SOME CROPS.

The Fruit Crop Accounted Good and Prospects for Fall Encouraging.

BOSTON, May 22.—The New England weather service, United States weather bureau, issues the following weather-crop bulletin for the week ending May 21, 1894.

All the first part of the past week was cold, dry and windy, with frequent frosts. At West Milan, N. H., the temperature fell to 27° on the morning of the 15th, and to 28° on the mornings of the 16th and 17th; on the latter date ground froze here in many places. At Northfield, Vt., the temperature fell to 33° on the 15th, 31° on the 16th and 30° on the 17th. Ice formed at Holden, Me. These are extreme cases, however, and generally while frosts were experienced on lowlands, the higher ground escaped injury. For the week, as a whole, the temperature at Boston averaged nearly 3° a day below the normal. It was very close to the normal at New London, Conn

Copious rains have fallen throughout New England since the 18th, and strong, cold easterly winds have prevailed. In northern and eastern Maine the rainfall has been from one-fourth to one-half an inch, and in south central and southern Maine from one to two inches. Slightly more than one-fourth of an inch fell in northern New Hampshire and Vermont, and over three-fourths of an inch in the central and southern parts of those states. From three-fourths of an inch to nearly one and one-fourth inches have fallen in northeastern Massachusetts, while 1.46 inches fell at Hyannis on Cape Cod and only 0.20 inches at Nantucket. Half an inch fell at Block Island, R. I., and three-fourths of an inch at Kingston, on the adjoining mainland. At New London the fall was 0.61 inch; at Greenfield Hill, in the southwestern part of the state, it was 1.83 inches; at West Simsbury, in the northwestern part, the fall reached 2.96 inches, and at South Manchester, across the Connecticut river from the last named place, it was 2.34 inches. At West Simsbury the rainfall on the 19th and 20th was more than for the previous six weeks.

Maine.

The correspondents from Maine report favorable weather for team work, and much has been done, but the wind has hindered seed sowing, and the pastures and newly seeded pieces have felt its drying influence very much. Potatoes and other vegetables were slightly nipped by frost, but no damage has been reported to fruit. One advantage from the dry weather is in enabling work to be done on naturally wet land that could not be touched in average seasons. Fruit is in blossom, except in the extreme north, and is very promising.

New Hampshire.

In all the central and southern parts of New Hampshire much damage is reported from the frosts on lowlands. Beside injuring very much all early plants that were above ground, clover was damaged, and in places fruit, blossoms and leaves frozen. It is thought by some that apples and blueberries are damaged quite a good deal, though others think there will be plenty on the trees that will mature. Pastures are reported very backward and poor. The correspondent at Grafton reports that unless the weather is very favorable in June, the hay crop will be light. Much planting remains to be done in this state, though the work has been pushed rapidly.

Vermont.

All growth was very slow in Vermont until the last of the week. The correspondent at Burlington reports that some damage was done by frosts to strawberries and early vegetables in South Burlington, "some fields being entirely wiped out." At South Randolph the frost killed the grape vines and leaves. A few of the apple blossoms were turned brown, but it is not possible to tell yet whether material damage has been done to fruit or not. Many potatoes and some corn have been planted.

Massachusetts.

In Massachusetts, correspondents report that just before this rain some grass fields did not look so well as a week ago; the stalks were spindling up very thin and had begun to head out. Where this is the case, it is thought that the rain will help but little, though generally it will thicken up and be much improved. Many garden seeds failed to germinate, and all crops were growing slowly. Quite a good deal of damage was done by the frost in the eastern and southern counties. In eastern Massachusetts blackberries have set heavily and are nearly ready to blossom. Tent caterpillars are not at all plenty, but canker worms are very thick and doing damage. They are reported from West Acton, Leominster and Concord.

Rhode Island.

In Rhode Island little damage to fruits is feared by the frost, but early vegetables suffered slightly. The correspondent at Kingston reports that ice formed to the thickness of a window pane. Planting has not been yet completed, though very much has been put in. The fruit prospects continue good.

Connecticut.

There was some damage to strawberries and vegetables on lowlands in Connecticut, but as far as reported fruit was not injured. The wind and rain have lodged the rye badly in central districts, and it is feared that the high cold wind along the coast will blast much fruit.

The correspondent at Milford states that one orchardist reports his set of pears mostly on the ground, as the wind has whipped the trees badly. Peas are in blossom in the southern counties; potatoes have been hoed; corn is growing fast.

In the West and South.

For the week ending May 14, warm and dry weather prevailed over the entire eastern part of the country, except in the southern cotton belt, where rain was abundant. Light frosts were felt over most of the northern states, but no great damage was done. In North Carolina tobacco transplanting had been delayed by drought; the plants were scarce and the acreage small. In Missouri and West Virginia there was much complaint of fruit dropping. Fruit prospects were reported excellent in Nebraska and Colorado. Acreage of potatoes largely in excess of other years in Michigan and Wisconsin. Hay harvest was in progress in Arizona with heavy yield.

Will Be Great Slaughter.

BUENOS AYRES, May 22.—The government troops in Rio Grande do Sul number 20,000 men. The rebel forces under General Saraiva are not half so numerous, but it is expected that they will make a determined resistance and that there will be much fighting before they are conquered.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

California wheat is in bad condition.

Cold weather and snow prevail in England.

Democrats, including Hill, are likely to vote for the tariff bill.

The Portuguese-Argentine incident is to be settled amicably.

One and one-half million dollars gold was exported from New York today.

The Italian chamber of deputies adopted the war budget by a vote of 239 to 98.

Vincenzo Cochidi is on trial at Boston for the murder of Pasquale Sacco on Jan. 7 last.

John Dillon says Irish opposition to Rosebery means the return to power of the Tories.

Mrs. Henry B. Rogers, who gave the beautiful town hall to Fairhaven, Mass., died in New York.

Twenty-five lasters in Brett's factory, Hudson, Mass., struck over a disagreement concerning lasting machines.

Israel Presconset, whose back and neck were broken by being dragged over the shafting of a sausage factory, died at Providence.

The striking girl operatives at the Newton mills, Newton Upper Falls, Mass., decline to resume work on a full time schedule.

Raymond Masson, formerly a student of the Massachusetts Normal Art school, has a piece of sculpture accepted for the Paris salon.

IN CONGRESS.

Senate Talks on Iron Ore—The Docking Question In the House.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The senate held an eight-hour session in debating the proposed senate duty of 40 cents a ton on iron ore. The house bill placed iron ore on the free list, and the Republicans took occasion to taunt the Democrats with inconsistency and with being false to their pledges to give the country free raw materials when they obtained control of the government. Some very sharp encounters occurred. The effort to have iron ore placed on the free list was voted down.

The early part of the proceedings in the house was devoted to a legal discussion concerning an amendment declaring that the statute which directs the sergeant-at-arms to make deductions from the salaries of members on account of absence had been repealed. The chairman ruled the amendment out of order, but was in turn overruled by the house on an appeal. The amendment was then adopted. The Democrats declared that a separate yea and nay vote on the amendment would be demanded in the house later.

Paul J. Sorg, recently elected to succeed the late Representative Houk of Ohio, was sworn in.

Attacked by a Lion.

BOSTON, May 22.—Death in a lion's jaws came near being the finale of Heinrich Mehrmann's act last night. Two thousand pairs of horrified eyes saw him knocked prostrate on the Columbia theater stage; 2000 voices rose in cries of terror as his blood splashed in the sawdust. The lion tamer seemed very near his end. But two dauntless masters of the savage beasts, William Judge and Fritz Mans, came speedily to his assistance. With blood flowing from many deep and ragged wounds, Mehrmann staggered from the ring, with a smile on his face, as he retreated from the wild and joyful applause of the audience. And the lion—cowed, trembling, he sneaked to his cage before the whip of the man whom he could hate but not conquer.

Republicans Fled.

PROVIDENCE, May 22.—A remarkable session of the house of representatives was held yesterday. At 11 o'clock all members present were locked in and writs were issued for absent members and placed in the hands of a sheriff. It was 3:15 before a quorum was secured, when Wheaton Cole was expelled from his seat in the house and Claude J. Farnsworth was substituted as second representative from Pawtucket. At 4:15 Mr. Farnsworth was sworn in. Only four Republicans were present during the session, the others having disappeared from the city to prevent being arrested.

A Rap at Breckinridge.

NASHVILLE, May 22.—At the general assembly of the southern Presbyterian church a resolution was offered yesterday which, while not referring to the Breckinridge case especially, stated that the assembly reaffirmed that "sins against the seventh commandment cannot be tolerated in our members." A motion to lay the resolution on the table was defeated and the resolution was then referred.

Russian Conspirators Bagged.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 22.—A clandestine press, from which large numbers of revolutionary pamphlets have been issued, has been discovered at Smolensk. From statements made by the conspirators, the police are convinced that they have made prisoners of seven people who are connected with a widespread conspiracy.

Strike Is Ended.

BROOKLYN, May 22.—The motormen and conductors who struck yesterday delegated two aldermen to interview President Morton, who finally conceded the men until July 1 to produce new uniforms. The company will not insist upon the men advancing any money for them. The men have returned to work.

Held In $5000 Bail.

HOPKINTON, Mass., May 22.—John P. Kelly and Thomas F. Kelly were arraigned before Judge Hemenway on a charge of assault with attempt to kill and murder James Rafferty. They waived examination and were held in $5000, in default of which they were taken to the Cambridge jail.

Archdeacon Brooks.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 22.—Rev. J. C. Brooks, brother of the late Bishop Brooks and rector of Christ church in this city, was yesterday elected to the archdeaconry, recently established. Bishop Lawrence presided over the gathering.

In Memory of Bishop Payne.

BALTIMORE, May 22.—A monument to the memory of Daniel A. Payne of the African Methodist church was unveiled in Laurel cemetery yesterday. The money for the monument was raised by popular subscription.

FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION Of Yesterday.

DAM BROKE

Johnstown is in Another Fearful Plight.

FLOODS IN PENNSYLVANIA CAUSING DAMAGE.

Big Loss of Life is Hourly Feared.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., May 21.—The most disastrous flood in the history of this place excepting the terrible flood of 1889 is now impending. The damage by the rise in the Conemaugh river has already caused a damage of $80,000, the greater part of the loss falling upon the Pennsylvania Central road. Two unknown tramps were drowned.

A report became current this morning that the dam of the big reservoir had burst and such proved the case, and the flood is rapidly assuming frightful proportions. Alarms have been sent and the people have fled to high ground.

The Lincoln bridge if guarded by police, who permit no one to cross, as the structure is being battered fiercely by floating logs and debris, and is in imminent danger of being washed from its foundation.

High Water Mark.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., May 21.—The river here is 31 feet above its mean level or one foot higher than in the flood of 1889. The city is flooded with water from a depth of 2½ to 4 feet, and the water is rising at the rate of six inches an hour. This morning the great boom broke carrying with it the immense rafts of logs. The debris in its rush has carried houses, saw mills and cleared the banks of all obstruction. Telegraph wires are down and train communication is impossible.

THOSE BAD BURGLARS

HELD UNDER BONDS FOR A GRAND JURY HEARING.

Many Spectators in Police Court Heard Some Heavy Sentences Given Out by Judge Hadley.

The court room was crowded this morning, an unusually large number of women being present.

Chief Davis prosecuted and Judge Hadley administered justice.

There were thirty-three drunks, quite a record for these "hard times."

The majority of these were simple drunks and were fined. Those sentenced were William Black, 4 months in jail.

Michael Cleary, 6 months in jail; Ellen Ross, 3 months in jail; Leon Dussault, 4 [illegible] to the workhouse; Bella Walker, 5 months to jail.

James M. Bartlett when the court imposed a sentence of 6 months to the workhouse for drunkenness, asked his honor to change it to 20 months. The court complied with the prisoner's request.

Joseph Platt and Annie Young pleaded to a charge of fornication and were sent to jail for three months.

Idull Landry, according to the testimony of Samuel J. Bernier, stole four 25 cent pieces from the latter last night. Landry and Bernier have been rooming together and Bernier has been missing money, so last night he marked four 25 cent pieces and saw Landry take them from his pocket. He then had Landry arrested. The court fined the prisoner $15 and gave him five days to pay the fine, otherwise go to jail for 2 months.

Michael Welch, for larceny of a hat from Alonson W. Beard, was found guilty and continued till tomorrow morning for sentence. He protested that he was drunk when he took the hat. When the court found him guilty Welch said: "You might as well sentence me now, if I am guilty. I don't want to stay here till tomorrow."

"But I want you to stay here," said Judge Hadley. "I want to inquire in your antecedents."

The case of James Ridges and William Larose charged with breaking and entering the store of Louis Starr in Little Canada was put on trial this morning.

The two defendants are the men whom Officer Lennon caught red handed Friday night.

Both pleaded not guilty and had for counsel Lawyer Rivet.

Officer Lennon testified that he went to the store and saw the men inside, bending over a large bundle in the middle of the floor.

He examined the door and found the panel broken, and related what occurred afterwards, all of which was reported in THE SUN of Saturday.

No defence was offered and the court finding probable cause held the defendants in $600 each for the grand jury.

Gen. Sweetland Held.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Gen. Sweetland, leader of the Connecticut division of the industrials pleaded not guilty in the municipal court for parading without a permit in the streets of Morrisania. The general was held for trial later.

Farrar's Murderer Held.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WALTHAM, May 21.—The burglar who killed James H. Farrar, who was pursuing him, Saturday, was brought up in police court today and his case continued until May 31.

Rochester is Flooded.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 21.—The Gennese river has risen so rapidly that nearly every railroad track into the city is under water. Cellars are flooded and the damage is immense. Towns further up the river report very high water.

COXEY SENTENCED.

WITH HIM IN A TIGHT BOX ARE JONES AND BROWNE.

Sentenced for Displaying a Banner and for Trampling Down the Grass in the Capitol Grounds.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WASHINGTON, May 21—Before Judge Miller in the police court this morning appeared Coxey, Brown and Christopher Columbus Jones to be sentenced for violation of the law. For displaying a banner in the May day demonstration they were sentenced to 20 days in jail, and Coxey and Browne for trampling down the grass on the capitol grounds were each fined $5 or ten days in jail.

BIG SNOW STORM.

Kentucky Gets a Touch of a Greenland May Day.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

LEXINGTON, May 21.—Three inches of snow fell here yesterday, and at Somerset it was six inches deep this morning. Reports would indicate that the heavy snow storm was general all over the state.

Phil Dwyer Indicted.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., May 21.—Philip J. Dwyer, president of the Jockey club, was held for the grand jury on the charge of permitting lottery in pool selling on the Gravesend tracks. His counsel have threatened to ask for a writ of habeas corpus.

Once Worked It in Lowell.

An American adventuress has been victimizing people in Quebec for a month past and from a description she appears to be the person who victimized people in Nashua, Laconia and Manchester in the winter, and also came to Lowell and got aid from Rev. G. C. Wright of the Ministry-at-Large.

Primitive Methodist Conference.

At the annual session of the Primitive Methodist Eastern conference at Fall River, last week, the report of the Lowell district showed an increase of 10 in membership and an expenditure of $400 for improvements on the First church, Rev. C. J. Keevil was passed to third year by the conference. The recommendation of the Lowell district that Rev. T. J. Spencer be placed in charge was referred to the stationing committee.

Verdict Set Aside.

Judge Sheldon set aside the verdict of $2074 in the case of Fleming vs. the Lowell Co-operative Milk association in Superior court this morning. The jury declared that the signed paper, in settlement of damages, was secured by fraud.

The judge's decision is based on the ground that this conclusion is unsupported.

A PREPOSTEROUS IDEA.

Of Interest to Residents of Belvidere and to Merchants.

A well known contractor states that the most preposterous business transaction conceivable of a city council committee, is that of the attempt to compel the discontinuance of vehicle travel across the Concord river bridge on East Merrimack street for four or five months, during its reconstruction, while the same can be maintained with perfect freedom to public travel by vehicles and street cars at a small additional expense. The northerly half of the abutments on the city side can be rebuilt before removing the old bridge thus admitting an easy approach to a temporary bridge.

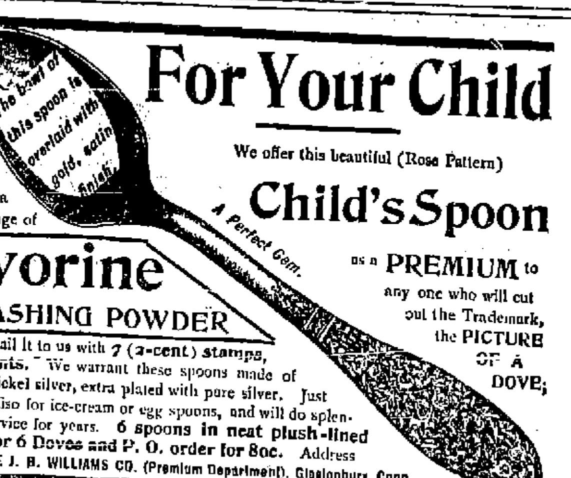
A Prize Declamation.

The Young Men's Catholic Literary society is arranging for a prize declamation contest, a public debate and a prize essay. The contests will be open to all members of the society. The prizes will be gold and silver medals, and the contests will be held the first, second, and third Sundays in September. The subject for the essays is the "Crusades" and the question, "Should education be a requisite for citizenship," will be debated.

The Cunard steamer Cephalonia arrived in Boston yesterday morning with many passengers on board for this city. Mr. Murphy, the Lowell agent met many of the arrivals at the depot in this city and conducted them to their respective homes.

Work was begun Saturday on the temporary bridge on East Merrimack street over Concord river. It will be 140 feet long and 10 feet wide. It will run from Stackpole street to a point on the west side of the river, close to the mills and nearly parallel to the present bridge.

It is reported that the Merrimack print works are to close for four weeks beginning June 16. During the suspension an addition, it is said, will be made to the bleach house. The report also is contemplated that a suspension of work in the Tremont and Suffolk mills some weeks this summer.



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For Lawrence, 8.30, 9.20, 10.50 a. m.; 12.15, 2.40 3.25, 5.10, 6.15, 6.55, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m. 12.05, 5.35, 7.30 p. m.

For Haverhill, 8.30, 9.20 a. m.; 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 5.10, 6.15, 6.55, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.30 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 12.15, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport, 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls Saco and Portland, 8.30 a.m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.15, 5.10 p.m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

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Trains leave Middlesex Street, Lowell as follows:

For Boston—5.48, 6.34, ¶6.53, 7.01, *7.18, *7.27, *7.48, *8.57, 9.28, *9.35, ¶9.58, 11.03, 11.44 a. m., *12.17, 1.38, 2.13, ¶3.03, 4.02, 4.33, *5.41, ¶5.43, *7.28, 7.52, p. m. SUNDAYS, *7.17, *7.27, ¶7.48, *8.48, 10.20 a. m.; ¶4.25, 6.03 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.30, ¶7.01, 7.35, *7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 1.35, 4.30, *¶5.33, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m., ¶4.25, ¶6.03, p.m.

*Express. ¶Northern Depot only. †Via Bedford.

For Lawrence—6.30, 10.00, 11.00 a. m. 1.25, 2.10, 4.45, 5.50 p. m. SUNDAYS 9.15 a. m., 7.15 p. m.

For Salem and Way Stations—¶7.38 a. m.; 1.25, 5.50 p. m. Via South Lawrence 6.30 a. m. ☞Time below is from Northern depot.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.00, 5.10 and 6.49 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.44 a. m.; 12.37, 3.42, 7.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—9.44 a. m. and 3.43 p. m.

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For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.14, 9.45, 12.11, a. m.; 1.47, (5.42 Franklin only), 8.13 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—9.45 a.m.; 1.47p. m.

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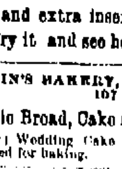

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR TUESDAY, MAY 22.

SUN RISES	4 16	MOON RISES	10 26 PM
SUN SETS	7 06	FULL SEA	12 45 AM
LENGTH OF DAY	14 50		1 15 PM

Forecast for Maine: Fair; warmer in western portion; variable winds.

For New Hampshire: Fair; warmer in southeast portion; east winds.

For Rhode Island and Connecticut: Fair; east winds.

For Vermont: Fair; east winds.

For Massachusetts: Fair; warmer in eastern portion; east winds.

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THE SUN is the only genuinely democratic daily published in a democratic city of eighty thousand inhabitants. Advertisers should bear this important fact in mind.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

The grade crossings on Middlesex street have been placarded "Dangerous."

Mr. and Mrs. Evariste Cote of Moody street are rejoicing over the birth of a son.

John Conners and John Graves have returned from Windham, N. H., with a big string of fish.

Mr. Wm. S. Howard and Miss Addie Stickney were married by Rev. Dr. Seymour of the First Baptist church, Saturday.

The band concert which was to have been held on the city hall lot last Friday night, will be held this week Friday and the program will be the same as previously announced.

Where the workmen are employed on East Merrimack street was a sign yesterday "Wanted 500 men at South Lowell, April 21, 1894." This was the date announced for Swift's army meeting at that place.

Rev. Thomas S. Sayers, Rev. Dr. Seymour, Mrs. Seymour and daughter, Rev. Mr. Millington, Miss May Walsh and Deacon Miller of the Fifth street church, are members of a party which left Lowell today to attend the Baptist meetings at Saratoga.

The officers and members of the Paige street church and society have sent the board of aldermen a vote of thanks for their refusal to grant a transfer of license to the corner of Bridge and Paige streets, and a vote of thanks to the license committee for its courtesy at the hearing.

The operatic company which took part in Pinafore winter before last, is to sing at Ayer, Thursday, for the benefit of Rev. Fr. Sheedy's church. T. F. Molloy will have charge of the performance. The cast will be: Miss Lizzie McLaughlin, as Josephine; Mr. Molloy, as Ralph Rackstraw; Mr. Blunt, as the admiral; Harry Huse, the captain; D. S. O'Brien, the boatswain; Miss Mary McLaughlin, Buttercup; Miss Louise McLaughlin, Hebe; with a large chorus. Miss Hattie Pressey will be the pianist.

An Error Corrected.

The statement in yesterday's SUN that a liquor seizure had been made at 196 Gorham street was wrong; it should have read Worthen street. The error was the source of much annoyance to the family residing on Gorham street, and so was especially unfortunate.

Ladies' Suits and Garments.

George F. Stiles, deputy sheriff and messenger, will sell by private sale, by order of the court of insolvency, all the stock in the store occupied by the Beaver Cloak company, in Hildreth building, consisting of ladies' cloaks, capes, suits, &c., at less than cost. Sale opens today.

City Committee Meeting.

William V. Meade, secretary of the democratic city committee has engaged Jackson hall for a meeting of the new city committee tomorrow evening. At first it was intended to call the meeting for Thursday evening, but as the hall is engaged for that evening, it was decided to hold the meeting Wednesday.

Some Sparring Points.

The entries for the open classes in the L. C. A. A. boxing tournament Saturday will close tonight, and the committee will have before it a difficult task to pick out the men, as all the classes are filled four times over. There are fully a dozen entries from Lowell, some of the cleverest sparrers to be found including "Kid" Mulligan who perhaps is the best 126 pound man in Lowell.

A big attendance is expected, including many ladies, for this will be the first time an opportunity has been offered for ladies to see scientific exhibitions of the manly art. All contestants will spar in proper clothing. The club house veranda and roof will be reserved for members and their ladies, while half the grand stand will be reserved.

FOR MEMORIAL DAY.

List of Aids Reported and Changes Suggested For the Day's Observance.

Chief Marshal Davis of the Memorial Day parade has appointed W. W. Tuttle chief of staff, and has named the following aids:

J. P. Thompson, J. C. Conroy, S. Sherwood, Post 42; Orrin Bartlett, C. H. Stickney, S. Ripley, Post 120; D. Whithed, J. P. Emerson, Moses Wyman, Post 185; Marcus Wight, honorary, Bosworth post, Me.; F. E. Lancey, H. E. Gray, Camp Farragut, Walter Colburn, Camp Greenhalge, S. of V.; Sergt. Lewis, G. Hunton, Alfred Davis, G Co. 6th Regt.; Edwin Barnes, D Co. Second Corps Cadets; C. F. Butler, Arthur Lyman, High School battalion.

All arrangements for the observance of the day are now complete. A meeting of the committee was held last evening, and a letter of regret was received from Rev. Dr. Conrt, who on account of illness will be unable to attend the exercises on Memorial evening. Rev. Dr. Hall will also be unable to attend, owing to a previous engagement at Portsmouth.

Comrade Pinkham reported that the invited guests will be received at the American house in the afternoon. It was decided to place the standards in charge of the recorder of burials. Co. M, Ninth Regiment has accepted an invitation to participate in the parade, and at the exercises in the evening an original poem by Miss Cora B. Bass, dedicated to the G. A. R., will be read.

The parade will move in the following order:

Platoon of police. Union band, chief marshal and staff, militia companies M, G, C and D, music, Post 42, music, Post 120, music, Post 185, Dahlgren Post Naval Veterans, Sons of Veterans, High school battalion.

The battalion of militia will be in charge of Capt. Mitten.

The cemeteries will be visited by the following posts:

Post 42 is assigned to decorate the Hildreth cemetery, Post 120 and the Naval Veterans the Lowell cemetery, Post 185 the Gorham street cemeteries, S. of V. and disabled veterans the School street cemetery.

DENTIST MERR. ST.

Next time try Old Hundred.

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Wall paper at 18 Church street.

Garfield Colony of Pilgrim Fathers is to hold an entertainment on June 11th.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted plants and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

Supt. John W. Pead of the Merrimack print works has been elected a member of the Appalachian club.

James Edward Smith of South Framingham, formerly of this city, is visiting relatives on Osgood street.

Judge Sheldon has set aside the verdict for the plaintiff in the case of Spearman vs. Lowell & Suburban Street Railway company.

A true, life like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barrister's hall and have a setting made.

The Easter Whist club met Monday with Mrs. Fred White on South Hastings street. Mrs. F. R. Byam won the first prize, Mrs. F. E. Shaw the second, and Mrs. C. H. Warren the Easter.

For Our Bicyclers.

Henry Dahlberg is getting in excellent racing trim and if he continues to improve this season and wins prizes he may go to New York state next season and go into training to ride for one of the big concerns building machines.

Trust Company Won.

The committee on finance settled the question of city balances and their place of deposit last night. The Trust company still retains them at 2 5-100 per cent. interest to the city. The Traders' National bank bid 2 per cent.

City Hall Lot.

The city hall commission decided last evening to remove the Victory statue at Monument square and place it in position at some point between Memorial building and City hall. Bids for the curbing and grading of the city hall lot were opened and were as follows: C F. Foss & Co., $13,750; W. H. Fuller, $13,038; L. D. Gumb, $13,009; Charles Runels, $12,498; P. O'Hearn, $11,934. The contract was awarded to P. O'Hearn as the lowest bidder.

An Early Morning Bath.

About seven o'clock this morning a workman employed at the East Merrimack street bridge came to work down the Concord river in a boat. The oarsman did not see a rope which was stretched across the river just below the bridge for part of it was under water. When the boat struck the rope it was overturned. The oarsman let go his oars and grabbed the rope and worked along on it till he came to the dredger scow. Then three workmen pulled him out as they would a drowned rat. The upset made a funny sight but fortunately the chief actor in it escaped with only a ducking.

COAT OF WHITEWASH

Applied to the Giants In an Interesting Game at Boston.

BOSTON, May 21.—The local team were very lucky, inasmuch as the visitors touched "Kid" Nichols up for eight hits, but they were scattered, and did no real damage. There was no little interest to see how young Murphy would play, and he made a big hit, having plenty to do and doing it well, to the great satisfaction of the "bleachers." Umpire Stage made his debut in this city as a League umpire, and it was far from a successful one, both teams suffering greatly. Westervelt let Duffy score twice on wild pitches, and let Nash get his base on a wild throw to Doyle, only to be brought home on hits by Ganzel, Bannon and Ryan.

Boston	0	0	1	0	2	0	0		—	3
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	0

Base hits—Boston, 6; New York, 8. Errors—Boston, 1; New York, 2. Batteries—Nichols and Ryan; Westervelt and Farrell.

At Chicago:

Pittsburg	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	7	2—	11
Chicago	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	2—	10

Base hits—Pittsburg, 11; Chicago, 10. Errors—Pittsburg, 3. Batteries — Killen and Mack; McGill and Schriver.

At Cleveland:

Cincinnati	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0—	2
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—	1

Base hits—Cincinnati, 9; Cleveland, 7. Errors—Cincinnati, 2. Batteries—Parrott and Murphy; Young and O'Connor.

At Bangor—Pawtucket, 4; Bangor, 2.

At Haverhill—Haverhill, 6; Worcester, 3.

At Portland—Portland, 10; Brockton, 5.

At Lewiston—Lewiston, 7; Fall River, 2.

POLITICS AND RELIGION.

A Mixture Which Is Likely to Cause Much Trouble In Newfoundland.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., May 22.—Reports from Bay de Verde give cause for great alarm, as the question of religion has been entered in the election campaign. Ex-Colonial Secretary Bond is urging the Catholics to band together in order to preserve their liberties against the Orangemen, who, he tells them, are desirious of keeping them in a condition of servitude.

These utterances have had the effect of setting all the people at each other's heads, and the voting will be largely influenced by the religious professions of the voters. The election is being held today, though the result of the vote will not be known until tomorrow night.

Leaders Go to Jail.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Coxey, Browne and Jones were sentenced by Judge Miller to 20 days in jail for violating the statutes of the United States, prohibiting the display of partisan banners in the Capitol grounds, and Coxey and Browne were fined $5 each, additional, for trespassing on the grass, the alternative being another 10 days in jail. Jones was acquitted on this last charge.

The Cordaville Duel.

BOSTON, May 22.—Peter P. Kelly, son of the proprietor of the road house in Cordaville where the shooting melee occurred Sunday, was brought to the Massachusetts general hospital last night for treatment. A bullet from Rafferty's revolver entered his left side, two inches below the heart, and he is not expected to recover. There is a possibility of Rafferty's recovery.

Wandered Around the World.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 22.—The Examiner says that Mrs. W. A. Martin, a wealthy woman, the wife of the manager of the New York Witness, who with her 7-year-old boy had been missing from home for two years, has been found here. Mrs. Martin is said to have wandered all over the world in that time. She is considered mentally unsound.

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RAILROAD STOCKS AND BOND ISSUES.

The Referendum Amendment Considered —The 400 Feet Bill Ordered to Third Reading.

BOSTON, May 22.—The senate ordered to a third reading the bill to exempt property in the hands of foreign executors, administrators and trustees from double taxation.

The bill relative to granting licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors to be exercised on premises within 400 feet of public schools, measured on street lines, was ordered to a third reading.

The bill providing that only registered pharmacists shall be eligible to receive druggists' liquor licenses was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. Milton moved to amend the bill relative to the issue of stock and bonds by railroad and street railway companies, by providing that nothing in the measure shall be construed as requiring the approval of the railroad commissioners to the issue by any railroad company of capital stock or bonds duly authorized by this commonwealth, the proceeds of which are to be expended in another state or country, or which are to pay for borrowed money expended in another state or country. The amendment was adopted, and the bill was passed to be engrossed as amended.

The Haverhill police bill was ordered to a third reading in the house.

The bill to prevent foreign corporations from issuing stock and other securities upon the property, franchise or stock of street railway, gas or electric light companies was passed to be engrossed.

The bill requiring insurance companies to fully define contracts in policies issued by them was passed to be engrossed.

Under a suspension of the rules the bill to provide for an investigation of the subject of a general municipal administration for the city of Boston and adjoining municipalities was passed to be engrossed.

On the resolve providing for an amendment to the constitution relating to the right of qualified voters to approve or reject laws, the house nonconcurred in the senate amendment limiting the operation of the proposed amendment so that voters may only pass upon contemplated measures relating to the qualification and registration of voters.

The bill to regulate the use of bicycles and other similar vehicles in public ways more specifically defining the rights of pedestrians on highways, and compelling riders of bicycles to use bells and lanterns to warn travelers, was passed to be engrossed.

The senate amendments to the bill relative to the intimidation of laborers were concurred in.

The bill to prevent the active participation of members of state commission in matters affecting proposed legislatio was rejected.

Coal Mines Resume Operations.

BALTIMORE, May 22.—Everything is quiet in the George's creek mining region The three mines of the Consolidation company are operating on full time and are turning out 2000 tons of coal a day. The coal men say they will be able to fill orders about the last of the present week

To Benefit Alaskans.

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Came From Connecticut.

GARDINER, Me., May 22.—There is a case of smallpox at the National Soldiers' Home. The patient came from Connecticut, and has been separated from the other inmates.

Hill Returns to Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Senator Hill was in his seat in the senate yesterday for the first time for two weeks. Regarding the report that he was preparing a new tariff bill as a substitute for the pending bill, he simply said: "Haven't they enough tariff bills now? The criticisms seem to be general that there are too many."

The Eighth Wonder of the world, a handsome stone ring, given with one pound of our choice tea. Boys and girls this is the greatest offer of the nineteenth century. Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

Louis Alexander, formerly of Fifth avenue, New York, successor to Emerson, tailor, 65 Central street, has received the latest novelties in foreign and domestic suitings, coatings, and trouserings, for spring wear.

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THAT NEW CREMATOR.

Description of the Piece of Apparatus Which the Investigating Committee Went to See.

The Wilmington Garbage crematory, which the committee appointed by the Lowell city government, on the disposal of garbage, went to inspect, is erected on a large plot of land, situated about one mile from the center of the city, and adjoining many dwellings and the large ship and car works of Harlan and Hallingsworth.

The building is a wooden structure, tightly built. According to the statement of Mr. Colquhuin, secretary of the board of health of Wilmington, the crematory is capable of destroying 6 tons of garbage each hour, and it requires but 20 gallons of oil for this amount.

The cost is in the vicinity of 40 to 43 cents per ton gross, but deducting the amount received from the sale of the ashes, leaves a net cost of from 20 to 22½ cents per ton. In Wilmington the city is divided into four districts under the watch of three men. There are 15 wagons which bring in a couple of loads of swill each day. No complaint has ever been made that unpleasant odors are emitted from the crematory.

The cremator is 48 feet long and 9 feet wide. There are ten dumping ports, and through any one of these, by means of a funnel-like arrangement the garbage is thrown into the flame. The fire which consumes it is heated to a temperature of 2800 degrees, and the flame passes both over and under the garbage, so that the swill is thoroughly burned. There is a pipe attached to the cremator which exhausts air from the building, and by means of it all the odor and gas are put back into the furnace and destroyed without being allowed to escape. Air is injected into the machine by means of an eight horse power blower the current being such that it carries the flame through the furnace, both over and under the garbage. All the water in the crematory is converted into steam and then decomposed by means of a radiating chamber underneath. The oil is fed to the cremator from a large tank outside the building.

Formerly, in Wilmington, the garbage was collected by contractors who had piggeries on the outskirts of the city, and fed the swill to swine. Considerable objection was raised to this, and in 1892 Mr. Colquhuin visited numerous cities, including Lowell, in the United States, and upon his return recommended cremation as the best means of disposing of garbage. He told the board of health that in his opinion the best furnaces were the Brown, Engel and Hervey.

He had seen the Brown system at work near one of the docks in Boston. A site was first secured and then bids were called for and received from the American Garbage Crematory company, representing the Brown system, and from the Engel system.

The contract was awarded the American company, and the Brown system was established in Wilmington. The company filed a bond of $2500 for five years, guaranteeing that the cost of repairs for the crematory would not exceed $500 a year; that the gross cost of destroying garbage would not exceed 45 cents per ton; and that no unpleasant odors shall be emitted. The plant cost the city $10,000, of which $2500 was paid for the upper floor of the building which is built of iron rods, wrought iron and cement. The sum of $2600 has been appropriated by the city to run the crematory this year, and it costs about $11,000 to collect the garbage of the whole city. The Flannigan improved steel garbage cart is used in the collection of garbage and three trips are made to each locality during the week. The section covered is about 1 3-4 miles square.

The cart when loaded weighs 2800 lbs. Last January the city sold 10 tons of the ashes for $100; and a factory near by has offered to purchase all the ashes during the year for $9 per ton.

Just for a test the men have burned 70 tons of swill during a period of 12 hours.

The crematory was worked while the committee was inspecting it, and several loads of garbage were burned in surprisingly quick time.

Mr. Brown, inventor of the Brown system was present during the inspection, as were Mr. McBarron of the American Garbage Crematory company, and members of the Wilmington board of health. The board of health consists of three physicians, Dr. John P. Wales, Dr. A. E. Frantz and Dr. Williard Spring; Joseph Jenkins, a practical plumber; J. C. Lewis, general superintendent of the Diamond State Iron company; and William Colquhuin.

QUEEN VICTORIA

Officiated at the Formal Opening of the Big Ship Canal.

MANCHESTER, Eng. May 22—The formal opening of the Manchester ship canal to traffic of the world was accomplished yesterday amid the greatest enthusiasm, the queen being present. The various guards of honor comprised about 1000 men, and about 5000 troops guarded the streets through which the royal procession passed.

Arriving at Trafford wharf, the queen embarked on board the royal yacht Enchantress, which steamed up the canal in the vicinity of Salford docks, where the queen formally declared the Manchester ship canal open to commerce.

An Album of San Antonio

THE SUN acknowledges the receipt of a beautiful photographic album of San Antonio, Tex., from Rev. Fr. Emery, O. M. I., who is now stationed there. It contains views of the principal buildings including the historic Alamo, built in 1718 and captured by the Mexicans in 1835 and rebuilt in 1850. It has also a fine view of the first mission church of the Oblate order in that locality. This edifice is not unlike the Immaculate Conception of this city although built in 1731.

McCarthy, the pitcher of the Mathews, pitched a fine game for the Worcesters against the Haverbills, yesterday.

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Immense as is Chalifoux's new Spring and Summer stock, there isn't a bungling garment in it. Some are finer than others, but whether a suit costs $5.00 or $20.00, IT FITS.

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100 Fine Quality Sample Jackets,

Made of fine Kersey Cloth and Clay Diagonals in Black and Colors, all reduced in price to close out. Fine jackets for $6.75, $7.50, $8.75, $10 00 and $12.50; former prices were $10.00 to $22.50 each.

Over 100 Styles Ladies' Cloth Capes.

All handsomely trimmed, made in latest style. Our prices are $1.50, $1.95, $2.75, $3.50, $4.75, $5.75, and up to $10.00. Examine these and you will be convinced that you cannot get equal value else where.

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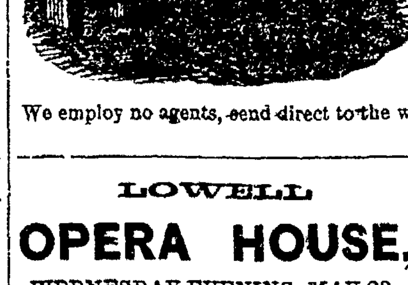

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR TUESDAY, MAY 22.

SUN RISES	4 16	MOON RISES	10 28 PM
SUN SETS	7 08	FULL SEA	12 45 AM
LENGTH OF DAY	14 50		1 15 PM

Forecast for Maine: Fair; warmer in western portion; variable winds.

For New Hampshire: Fair; warmer in southeast portion; east winds.

For Rhode Island and Connecticut: Fair; east winds.

For Vermont: Fair; east winds.

For Massachusetts: Fair; warmer in eastern portion; east winds.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

The grade crossings on Middlesex street have been placarded "Dangerous."

Mr. and Mrs. Evariste Cote of Moody street are rejoicing over the birth of a son.

John Conners and John Graves have returned from Windham, N. H., with a big string of fish.

Mr. Wm. S. Howard and Miss Addie Stickney were married by Rev. Dr. Seymour of the First Baptist church, Saturday.

The band concert which was to have been held on the city hall lot last Friday night, will be held this week Friday and the program will be the same as previously announced.

Where the workmen are employed on East Merrimack street was a sign yesterday "Wanted 500 men at South Lowell, April 21, 1894." This was the date announced for Swift's army meeting at that place.

Rev. Thomas S. Sayers, Rev. Dr. Seymour, Mrs. Seymour and daughter, Rev. Mr. Millington, Miss May Walsh and Deacon Miller of the Fifth street church, are members of a party which left Lowell today to attend the Baptist meetings at Saratoga.

The officers and members of the Paige street church and society have sent the board of aldermen a vote of thanks for their refusal to grant a transfer of license to the corner of Bridge and Paige streets, and a vote of thanks to the license committee for its courtesy at the hearing.

The operatic company which took part in Pinafore winter before last, is to sing at Ayer, Thursday, for the benefit of Rev. Fr. Sheedy's church. T. F. Molloy will have charge of the performance. The cast will be: Miss Lizzie McLaughlin, as Josephine; Mr. Molloy, as Ralph Rackstraw; Mr. Blunt, as the admiral; Harry Huse, the captain; D. S. O'Brien, the boatswain; Miss Mary McLaughlin, Buttercup; Miss Louise McLaughlin, Hebe; with a large chorus. Miss Hattie Pressey will be the pianist.

An Error Corrected.

The statement in yesterday's SUN that a liquor seizure had been made at 106 Gorham street was wrong; it should have read Worthen street. The error was the source of much annoyance to the family residing on Gorham street, and so was especially unfortunate.

Ladies' Suits and Garments.

George F. Stiles, deputy sheriff and messenger, will sell by private sale, by order of the court of insolvency, all the stock in the store occupied by the Beaver Cloak company, in Hildreth building, consisting of ladies' cloaks, capes, suits, &c., at less than cost. Sale opens today.

City Committee Meeting.

William V. Meade, secretary of the democratic city committee has engaged Jackson hall for a meeting of the new city committee tomorrow evening. At first it was intended to call the meeting for Thursday evening, but as the hall is engaged for that evening, it was decided to hold the meeting Wednesday.

Some Sparring Points.

The entries for the open classes in the L. C. A. A. boxing tournament Saturday will close tonight, and the committee will have before it a difficult task to pick out the men, as all the classes are filled four times over. There are fully a dozen entries from Lowell, some of the cleverest sparrers to be found including "Kid" Mulligan who perhaps is the best 120 pound man in Lowell.

A big attendance is expected, including many ladies, for this will be the first time an opportunity has been offered for ladies to see scientific exhibitions of the manly art. All contestants will spar in proper clothing. The club house veranda and roof will be reserved for members and their ladies, while half the grand stand will be reserved.

FOR MEMORIAL DAY.

List of Aids Reported and Changes Suggested For the Day's Observance.

Chief Marshal Davis of the Memorial Day parade has appointed W. W. Tuttle chief of staff, and has named the following aids:

J. P. Thompson, J. C. Conroy, S. Sherwood, Post 42; Orrin Bartlett, C. H. Stickney, S. Ripley, Post 120; D. Whithed, J. P. Emerson, Moses Wyman, Post 185; Marcus Wight, honorary, Bosworth post, Me.; F. E. Lancey, H. E. Gray, Camp Farragut, Walter Colburn, Camp Greenhalge, S. of V.; Sergt. Lewis, G. Hunton, Alfred Davis, G Co. 6th Regt.; Edwin Barnes, D Co. Second Corps Cadets; C. F. Butler, Arthur Lyman, High School battalion.

All arrangements for the observance of the day are now complete. A meeting of the committee was held last evening, and a letter of regret was received from Rev. Dr. Court, who on account of illness will be unable to attend the exercises on Memorial evening. Rev. Dr. Hall will also be unable to attend, owing to a previous engagement at Portsmouth.

Comrade Pinkham reported that the invited guests will be received at the American house in the afternoon. It was decided to place the standards in charge of the recorder of burials. Co. M, Ninth Regiment has accepted an invitation to participate in the parade, and at the exercises in the evening an original poem by Miss Cora B. Bass, dedicated to the G. A. R., will be read.

The parade will move in the following order:

Platoon of police, Union band, chief marshal and staff, militia companies M, F, C and D, music, Post 42, music, Post, 120, music, Post 185, Dahlgren Post Naval Veterans, Sons of Veterans, High school battalion.

The battalion of militia will be in charge of Capt. Mitten.

The cemeteries will be visited by the following posts:

Post 42 is assigned to decorate the Hildreth cemetery, Post 120 and the Naval Veterans the Lowell cemetery, Post 185 the Gorham street cemeteries, S. of V. and disabled veterans the School street cemetery.

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Wall paper at 18 Church street.

Garfield Colony of Pilgrim Fathers is to hold an entertainment on June 11th.

—Patten & Co. have the finest potted plants and cut flowers in the city. Shedd's block, Central street.

Supt. John W. Pead of the Merrimack print works has been elected a member of the Appalachian club.

James Edward Smith of South Framingham, formerly of this city, is visiting relatives on Osgood street.

Judge Sheldon has set aside the verdict for the plaintiff in the case of Spearman vs. Lowell & Suburban Street Railway company.

A true, life like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barrister's hall and have a setting made.

The Easter Whist club met Monday with Mrs. Fred White on South Hastings street. Mrs. F. R. Byam won the first prize, Mrs. F. E. Shaw the second, and Mrs. C. H. Warren the Easter.

For Our Bicyclers.

Henry Dahlberg is getting in excellent racing trim and if he continues to improve this season and wins prizes he may go to New York state next season and go into training to ride for one of the big concerns building machines.

Trust Company Won.

The committee on finance settled the question of city balances and their place of deposit last night. The Trust company still retains them at 2 5-100 per cent. interest to the city. The Traders' National bank bid 2 per cent.

City Hall Lot.

The city hall commission decided last evening to remove the Victory statue at Monument square and place it in position at some point between Memorial building and City hall. Bids for the curbing and grading of the city hall lot were opened and were as follows: C. F. Foss & Co., $13,759; W. H. Fuller, $13,038; L. D. Gumb, $13,000; Charles Runels, $12,408; P. O'Hearn, $11,084. The contract was awarded to P. O'Hearn as the lowest bidder.

An Early Morning Bath.

About seven o'clock this morning a workman employed at the East Merrimack street bridge came to work down the Concord river in a boat. The oarsman did not see a rope which was stretched across the river just below the bridge for part of it was under water. When the boat struck the rope it was overturned. The oarsman let go his oars and grabbed the rope and worked along on it till he came to the dredger scow. Then three workmen pulled him out as they would a drowned cat. The upset made a funny sight but fortunately the chief actor in it escaped with only a ducking.

COAT OF WHITEWASH

Applied to the Giants in an Interesting Game at Boston.

BOSTON, May 21.—The local team were very lucky, inasmuch as the visitors touched "Kid" Nichols up for eight hits, but they were scattered, and did no real damage. There was no little interest to see how young Murphy would play, and he made a big hit, having plenty to do and doing it well, to the great satisfaction of the "bleachers." Umpire Stage made his debut in this city as a League umpire, and it was far from a successful one, both teams suffering greatly. Westervelt let Duffy score twice on wild pitches, and let Nash get his base on a wild throw to Doyle, only to be brought home on hits by Ganzel, Bannon and Ryan.

Boston	0	0	3	1	0	2	0	0	—	7
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Base hits—Boston, 8; New York, 8. Errors—Boston, 1; New York, 2. Batteries—Nichols and Ryan; Westervelt and Farrell.

At Chicago:

Pittsburg	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	7	2	11
Chicago	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	2	10

Base hits—Pittsburg, 11; Chicago, 10. Errors—Pittsburg, 3. Batteries—Killen and Mack; McGill and Schriver.

At Cleveland:

Cincinnati	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1

Base hits—Cincinnati, 9; Cleveland, 7. Errors—Cincinnati, 2. Batteries—Parrott and Murphy; Young and O'Connor.

At Bangor—Pawtucket, 4; Bangor, 2.

At Haverhill—Haverhill, 0; Worcester, 3.

At Portland—Portland, 10; Brockton, 5.

At Lewiston—Lewiston, 7; Fall River, 2.

POLITICS AND RELIGION.

A Mixture Which Is Likely to Cause Much Trouble In Newfoundland.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., May 22.—Reports from Bay de Verde give cause for great alarm, as the question of religion has been entered in the election campaign. Ex-Colonial Secretary Bond is urging the Catholics to band together in order to preserve their liberties against the Orangemen, who, he tells them, are desirious of keeping them in a condition of servitude.

These utterances have had the effect of setting all the people at each other's heads, and the voting will be largely influenced by the religious professions of the voters. The election is being held today, though the result of the vote will not be known until tomorrow night.

Leaders Go to Jail.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Coxey, Browne and Jones were sentenced by Judge Miller to 20 days in jail for violating the statutes of the United States, prohibiting the display of partisan banners in the Capitol grounds, and Coxey and Browne were fined $5 each, additional, for trespassing on the grass, the alternative being another 10 days in jail. Jones was acquitted on this last charge.

The Cordaville Duel.

BOSTON, May 22.—Peter P. Kelly, son of the proprietor of the road house in Cordaville where the shooting melee occurred Sunday, was brought to the Massachusetts general hospital last night for treatment. A bullet from Rafferty's revolver entered his left side, two inches below the heart, and he is not expected to recover. There is a possibility of Rafferty's recovery.

Wandered Around the World.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 22.—The Examiner says that Mrs. W. A. Martin, a wealthy woman, the wife of the manager of the New York Witness, who with her 7-year-old boy had been missing from home for two years, has been found here. Mrs. Martin is said to have wandered all over the world in that time. She is considered mentally unsound.

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RAILROAD STOCKS AND BOND ISSUES.

The Referendum Amendment Considered—The 400 Feet Bill Ordered to Third Reading.

BOSTON, May 22.—The senate ordered to a third reading the bill to exempt property in the hands of foreign executors, administrators and trustees from double taxation.

The bill relative to granting licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors to be exercised on premises within 400 feet of public schools, measured on street lines, was ordered to a third reading.

The bill providing that only registered pharmacists shall be eligible to receive druggists' liquor licenses was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. Milton moved to amend the bill relative to the issue of stock and bonds by railroad and street railway companies, by providing that nothing in the measure shall be construed as requiring the approval of the railroad commissioners to the issue by any railroad company of capital stock or bonds duly authorized by this commonwealth, the proceeds of which are to be expended in another state or country, or which are to pay for borrowed money expended in another state or country. The amendment was adopted, and the bill was passed to be engrossed as amended.

The Haverhill police bill was ordered to a third reading in the house.

The bill to prevent foreign corporations from issuing stock and other securities upon the property, franchise or stock of street railway, gas or electric light companies was passed to be engrossed.

The bill requiring insurance companies to fully define contracts in policies issued by them was passed to be engrossed.

Under a suspension of the rules the bill to provide for an investigation of the subject of a general municipal administration for the city of Boston and adjoining municipalities was passed to be engrossed.

On the resolve providing for an amendment to the constitution relating to the right of qualified voters to approve or reject laws, the house nonconcurred in the senate amendment limiting the operation of the proposed amendment so that voters may only pass upon contemplated measures relating to the qualification and registration of voters.

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Coming to America.

BERLIN, May 22.—It is reported here that ex-Chancellor Leist, the German official who is charged with so many atrocities during his administration of the Cameroun colony, West Africa, has fled to the United States.

Came From Connecticut.

GARDINER, Me., May 22.—There is a case of smallpox at the National Soldiers' Home. The patient came from Connecticut, and has been separated from the other inmates.

Hill Returns to Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Senator Hill was in his seat in the senate yesterday for the first time for two weeks. Regarding the report that he was preparing a new tariff bill as a substitute for the pending bill, he simply said: "Haven't they enough tariff bills now? The criticisms seem to be general that there are too many."

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THAT NEW CREMATOR.

Description of the Piece of Apparatus Which the Investigating Committee Went to See.

The Wilmington Garbage crematory, which the committee appointed by the Lowell city government, on the disposal of garbage, went to inspect, is erected on a large plot of land, situated about one mile from the center of the city, and adjoining many dwellings and the large ship and car works of Harlan and Hollingsworth.

The building is a wooden structure, tightly built. According to the statement of Mr. Colquhuin, secretary of the board of health of Wilmington, the crematory is capable of destroying 8 tons of garbage each hour, and it requires but 20 gallons of oil for this amount.

The cost is in the vicinity of 40 to 43 cents per ton gross, but deducting the amount received from the sale of the ashes, leaves a net cost of from 20 to 22½ cents per ton. In Wilmington the city is divided into four districts under the watch of three men. There are 15 wagons which bring in a couple of loads of swill each day. No complaint has ever been made that unpleasant odors are emitted from the crematory.

The cremator is 48 feet long and 9 feet wide. There are ten dumping ports, and through any one of these, by means of a funnel-like arrangement the garbage is thrown into the flame. The fire which consumes it is heated to a temperature of 2800 degrees, and the flame passes both over and under the garbage, so that the swill is thoroughly burned. There is a pipe attached to the cremator which exhausts air from the building, and by means of it all the odor and gas are put back into the furnace and destroyed without being allowed to escape. Air is injected into the machine by means of an eight horse power blower the current being such that it carries the flame through the furnace, both over and under the garbage. All the water in the crematory is converted into steam and then decomposed by means of a radiating chamber underneath. The oil is fed to the cremator from a large tank outside the building.

Formerly, in Wilmington, the garbage was collected by contractors who had piggeries on the outskirts of the city, and fed the swill to swine. Considerable objection was raised to this, and in 1892 Mr. Colquhuin visited numerous cities, including Lowell, in the United States, and upon his return recommended cremation as the best means of disposing of garbage. He told the board of health that in his opinion the best furnaces were the Brown, Engel and Hervey.

He had seen the Brown system at work near one of the docks in Boston. A site was first secured and then bids were called for and received from the American Garbage Crematory company, representing the Brown system, and from the Engel system.

The contract was awarded the American company, and the Brown system was established in Wilmington. The company filed a bond of $2500 for five years, guaranteeing that the cost of repairs for the crematory would not exceed $500 a year; that the gross cost of destroying garbage would not exceed 45 cents per ton; and that no unpleasant odors shall be emitted. The plant cost the city $10,000, of which $2500 was paid for the upper floor of the building which is built of iron rods, wrought iron and cement. The sum of $2000 has been appropriated by the city to run the crematory this year, and it costs about $11,000 to collect the garbage of the whole city. The Flannigan improved steel garbage cart is used in the collection of garbage and three trips are made to each locality during the week. The section covered is about 1 3-4 miles square.

The cart when loaded weighs 2800 lbs. Last January the city sold 10 tons of the ashes for $100; and a factory near by has offered to purchase all the ashes during the year for $9 per ton.

Just for a test the men have burned 70 tons of swill during a period of 12 hours.

The crematory was worked while the committee was inspecting it, and several loads of garbage were burned in surprisingly quick time.

Mr. Brown, inventor of the Brown system was present during the inspection, as were Mr. McBarron of the American Garbage Crematory company, and members of the Wilmington board of health. The board of health consists of three physicians, Dr. John P. Wales, Dr. A. E. Frantz and Dr. Willard Spring; Joseph Jenkins, a practical plumber; J. C. Lewis, general superintendent of the Diamond State Iron company; and William Colquhuin.

QUEEN VICTORIA

Officiated at the Formal Opening of the Big Ship Canal.

MANCHESTER, Eng. May 22.—The formal opening of the Manchester ship canal to traffic of the world was accomplished yesterday amid the greatest enthusiasm, the queen being present. The various guards of honor comprised about 1000 men, and about 5000 troops guarded the streets through which the royal procession passed.

Arriving at Trafford wharf, the queen embarked on board the royal yacht Enchantress, which steamed up the canal in the vicinity of Salford docks, where the queen formally declared the Manchester ship canal open to commerce.

An Album of San Antonio.

THE SUN acknowledges the receipt of a beautiful photographic album of San Antonio, Tex., from Rev. Fr. Emery, O. M. I., who is now stationed there. It contains views of the principal buildings including the historic Alamo, built in 1718 and captured by the Mexicans in 1835 and rebuilt in 1850. It has also a fine view of the first mission church of the Oblate order in that locality. This edifice is not unlike the Immaculate Conception of this city although built in 1731.

McCarthy, the pitcher of the Mathews, pitched a fine game for the Worcesters against the Haverhills, yesterday.

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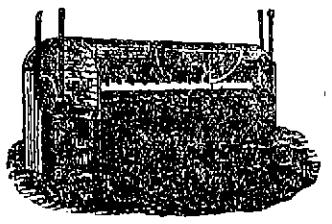

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ULTIMATUM

Given by Mine Operators to the Striking Miners.

BLOOD MAY FLOW IF IT IS REFUSED.

Outside Men Will be Set at Work May 29th.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 22. — The bituminous coal operators throughout the central allied districts of this state have voted to give the strikers until May 28th to return; if the strike is not declared off then outside labor will be set at work.

The operators predict the end of the strike is in view, while the strike leaders predict serious trouble and bloodshed.

The action of the operators is likely to be followed throughout the entire mining region.

President McBride of the Miner's union is charged with trying to become a dictator.

Col. Bend, the great mine operator, says the coal situation is serious.

Maine's U. S. Attorney.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WASHINGTON, May 22. — President Cleveland today appointed Albert Bradbury, U. S. attorney for the district of Maine.

Vetoed the Bill.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 22.—Gov. Flower today vetoed the public health bill which had been amended to provide for criminal punishment in addition to the civil liability of practicing medicine without registration.

WHIST CLUB FUNERAL.

Benighted City People in Ward Five Saw a Strange Procession.

The entertainment of the Young Married Ladies' Whist club at Tyng's Island yesterday by Mrs. Alex. Cameron and Mrs. E. S. Sherman proved one of the most interesting in the history of the Country club, in more ways than one. The adventure which befell the 70 or 80 persons at the island will be the subject of considerable laughter for some time to come.

The ladies went up by steamer about 2 o'clock and played whist; the gentlemen went up at 6 o'clock.

After a delightful evening, the party awaited the coming of the steamer, which never came. Despairing of reaching home that way carriages and hacks were telephoned for from the city. The vehicles of neighboring farmers were pressed into service and there was great commotion all along the road.

To add to the uncomfortable nature of the incident the fog on the road was very dense. Many of the gentlemen walked home, and the last man heard from was at 3 a. m. Happily no serious after effects are anticipated from the adventure. The steamer met with a slight accident which accounts for the trouble.

Benighted city people in Ward Five on meeting the procession of vehicles were told that it was a whist club funeral from Nashua.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Cheney are entertaining their cousins, Hon. and Mrs. George A. Pillsbury of Minneapolis. The former is the great flour mill owner.

How to Improve Our Streets.

Mr. McClintock of Chelsea, a member of the state road commission, and an authority on road building, has been invited to visit Lowell and look over the streets and offer suggestions as to means of improving them.

B. A. A.'s Defeat.

In the duck pin contest at the Miserables' alleys last evening, the 999th defeated the B. A. A.'s by ten pins. Kirby was high roller and established a record of 313 pins. Kittredge was very weak, while Oscar Brown did the best work for the 999th. The score follows:

999th—D. Donahue 258, Brown 278, Murphy 241, J. Donohoe 275, Savage 267; total 1319.

B. A. As.—Stewart 269, Pollard 251, Kirby 313, Anderson 265, Kittredge 220: total 1309.

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BENSON DEAD

Shock to the Community in Which He Lived.

ONE OF THE STAUNCHEST MEMBERS OF THE DEMOCRACY.

Late Councilman Was Highly Respected Throughout the City.

Councilman William T. Benson of Ward Six is dead.

Such was the sad news bulletined by the daily papers yesterday afternoon.

It was shocking news and caused a great sensation, for it was almost impossible to believe that the popular councilman who but a few days since walked through the city, apparently in good health, had passed away.

For years past he had been troubled periodically with hernia, and with age his sufferings with the illness increased. An operation became necessary, and realizing this, he made preparations and entered St. John's hospital Saturday.

Yesterday morning the operation, a very difficult one, was performed by Drs. Irish of this city, Marshall, a well known specialist of Boston, and a number of local physicians and was fairly successful.

The patient after the operation had full control of his mental faculties and although in a critical condition, it was hoped he would rally and overcome the effects of the operation.

But, unhappily such was not the case and in the early afternoon, his nurses, the good sisters who were constantly at his bedside, became aware of a change which betokened the coming of death, and at his request a messenger was sent for a clergyman. Revs. Fr. Burns, O. M. I. and Fr. Dacey, O. M. I., responded quickly, the former administering the last sacrament, the dying man having made his confession on the previous day to his pastor, Rev. Fr. Ronan.

His relatives were notified of the approaching end, and at 3.20 o'clock surrounded by the clergymen and sisters, fully conscious of and well prepared for his approaching end, William T. Benson, one of Lowell's most popular citizens closed his eyes in death.

His Life.

William T. Benson was 44 years of age and was born in Southbridge, Mass.

When but three months old his parents' removed to this city, where he lived until his death.

He received his early education in the local public schools, receiving a grammar school diploma. Not blessed with worldly goods, he entered the employ of L. W. Faulkner & Sons, upon leaving school, and there learned his trade, that of finishing.

While but an apprentice learning his trade he gave evidence of qualities which afterwards made him popular throughout the city, namely honesty, faithfulness and perseverance, and he rose gradually to the position of foreman of his department which position he held for twelve years, gaining by his efforts the confidence and respect of both employers and workmen.

He retired from Faulkner's, some 10 years ago entering business for himself, and for the past nine years had conducted a successful grocery business at 152 Lawrence street possessing with his other good qualities considerable business ability.

His political career which was without a blemish is mentioned elsewhere.

His family consisted of his wife, two sons, now deceased, one daughter, and his aged mother and to these he was passionately devoted being known throughout the city a veritable home body, an affectionate son, loving husband and devoted father.

The comforts of the fireside were far dearer to him than the passing pleasure of public life and he belonged to but few societies. He was formerly a leading spirit in the old Celtic associates, and was prominently known in connection with the Knights of Columbus and Division 11, A. O. H., being president of the latter society for a number of years.

He was a zealous Catholic, and a faithful attendant of St. Peter's church in which parish he resided.

To say that he will be missed, is unnecessary, for men possessing so many good qualities, as did he, are always missed when removed from our midst. Mr. Benson was a friend to everyone, and he was never known in public or private life to make an enemy, and it is a well known fact that on many occasions he had put aside his own interests to further those of his friends. In the poor of Ward Six he took a particularly active interest, and to assist them, he put away all thoughts of creed, and political persuasion, they were all alike to him. To the men who fought and bled for our country's flag he was a sincere friend, in and out of politics, and at the camp fire, or around the banquet board he was always an honored guest with the veterans.

But, now he is dead, and a sudden gloom is cast over the section of the city in the interest of which he labored untiringly.

He is mourned universally, and to his distracted family is tendered the sympathy and condolence of an entire community.

His Political Career.

Mr. Benson was called upon on four different occasions to serve his fellow citizens in public office.

In 1879, after a spirited contest, he was chosen to the common council from Ward Three. Associated with him from the same ward were Henry P. Morris, Edward Cawley and Patrick A. Rogers.

The following year he was favored with a re-election, and with Peter H. Donahoe, Patrick A. Rogers and Frank Wood, the deceased looked after the interests of his ward.

For a time he forsook political life, but at the request of a great many Ward Six voters, where he then resided, he entered the field of councilmanic candidates in 1892, and was successful.

In '93 the people returned him to the council and his name was prominently mentioned in connection with the presidency of the council. With the assistance of his friends he acquired the honorable position, receiving the thirteen democratic votes, the republican votes going to James O'Sullivan.

It was in this year that he displayed his unflinching democracy by holding back his committees until Mayor Pickman had named the aldermanic members. By this course the committees of the government were made democratic.

This year, being re-elected, he again became a candidate for the presidency. It was conceded on all hands, after the caucus of the democratic members that Mr. Benson would be the next president. But all hopes vanished when several of the democratic members of the council joined the republicans, and elected Mr. Sparks to succeed Mr. Benson. No one felt a defeat more than Mr. Benson did this one.

His colleagues in the common council feel his death keenly, and when the sad news reached them their words of sympathy spoke volumes. The democratic party of the city has lost a staunch supporter in his death, and the city has lost one of the truest and best democrats who ever served her interests.

The democrats of Ward Six will meet tonight in the ward room to take action on the death of Councilman William T. Benson.

Mr. Benson's Funeral.

The funeral of the late Councilman William T. Benson will occur tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from St. Peter's church.

Prompt to Act.

Mayor Pickman has called a special meeting of the aldermen for this evening to take action on the death of Councilman Benson.

The flags on all the public buildings of the city are at half mast.

The council meeting will be held at 8 o'clock tonight and suitable action will be taken on the death of the late councilman. His desk and chair in the council chamber are draped in mourning, and a bouquet of lilies and roses has been placed on the desk.

At city hall, the deceased councilman's death is sincerely mourned by all, and on every side could be heard expressions of sympathy for "Poor Billy."

LAKEVIEWS' THEATRE

Was Opened For the Summer Season With Weather Below Par—Excellent Minstrel Show Presented.

At Lakeview park, yesterday, the theatrical season opened, and in spite of the frigidity of the atmosphere a large audience was present, afternoon and evening. The theatre has undergone many desirable changes by which larger audiences can be accommodated.

The attraction yesterday, which will hold the boards this week, was Gilbert's high class minstrels of Boston, a collection of fine vocalists, comedians and dancers. The first part kept the audience in roars. The Messrs. Mack manipulated the tambos and the Messrs. Emerson the bones, on on the ends and with Interlocutor. Scammman they cracked many timely jokes. A novel feature in the first part was the interspersing of several pretty young ladies who sang in chorus. The second part was not quite as lively as the first but will be all right before the week is ended as it will be toned up somewhat. Emerson's stump speech was quite funny and "Billy" Short's buck and wing dancing and his fine solos were well received.

A large crowd enjoyed dancing during the afternoon and evening. The street railway company will do better than ever before in putting more electrics on the route, and outside the city faster time will be made so that the homeward trip will be quickly made. Performances in the theatre will be given twice daily.

AT ST. PETER'S.

Archbishop Williams to Administer Confirmation This Evening.

A very large number of children, boys and girls received their first communion at St. Peter's church this morning. Rev. Fr. McManus celebrated the mass and delivered a brief instruction to the children. This evening His Grace Archbishop Williams will administer the sacrament of confirmation to all the children prepared by the Sunday school.

Loss Will be $121,000.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

JOHNSTOWN, May 22.—The damage by the flood as reported today is estimated at $121,000.

DEATHS.

Elizabeth H. Trow, aged 71 years, died yesterday at her home in East Billerica.

Sarah A. Boardman, aged 32 years, died yesterday at her home, 7 Gates street. She leaves three children.

Daniel, infant son of Daniel, the well known fireman, and Jessie Crowley, died yesterday at their home, 37 Clarke street.

Sarah A. Bowden, 32 years old, died yesterday at her home, 7 Gates street. Deceased was the widow of the late James Bowden.

John P. Ankarloo, an eminent Mason and the best known dyer in northern New England, died at his home in Manchester, N. H., yesterday afternoon, aged 71 years. Deceased was a native of Sweden and came here some 30 years ago. He had been a dyer in Manchester for 27 years. He was a staunch democrat. He is survived by a widow and several brothers and sisters, the latter being all in Sweden. He was the father-in-law of W. E. Gilmore of THE SUN.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts,

LOCAL NOTES.

The outing club of the Y. M. C. A., goes to Concord next Saturday on a buckboard.

The only intention recorded at the city clerk's office today was: Francis Cote, 22, to Olivia Levanque, 23.

The alarm from box 39, at 11.30 last night, was for a blaze in Ed. Murphy's block on Broadway, near Fletcher street.

An explosion of naphtha caused a slight blaze in Shaw's steam fitting shop on Middlesex street, last evening. Damage was slight.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Perkins of Santa Cruz, Cal., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Ramsdell, 103 Hastings street.

Mr. Frank G. Mack of this city is at present in Chicago, having just completed a successful season with the Blue Grass Comedy company.

The Salvation Army will hold a travelers' union meeting Wednesday evening, at which all the members will appear with something to show what trade employs them.

In the police station are some dies and die cutters such as used by machinists, which were taken from Michael McDonald arrested when he was trying to pawn them, by Chief Davis and Inspector Allen last night.

The funeral of Isaac S. Archibald occurred this afternoon from his late residence, 47 Tyler street. After services at the house the remains were conveyed to the Westminster Presbyterian church where Rev. J. O. Campbell officiated. The interment in charge of C. M. Young was in the Edson cemetery.

A pleasant assembly was held at the residence of "Joe" Raymond on Concord street last evening. A delightful entertainment was held at which Mr. Peter Hayden favored the company with several difficult yet well rendered piano solos. He also rendered pleasing vocal selections. Dancing was enjoyed and a collation served.

Boys,

now is your chance, a bat and ball given with 1 pound of our 50c. tea purchased this week. The U. S. Tea Co., corner Central and Prescott streets.

Wanted—A Leader.

Three attempts yesterday were made to get a meeting of the unemployed city laborers but each failed. The reason assigned by the men was the lack of a leader.

CHARGES NOT PROVEN.

SUCH IS THE ANTICIPATED REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE.

Noble Investigating Committee Met Behind Closed Doors, But the Doings of the Committee Got Out Just the Same.

"The charges have not been proven."

Such is the verdict of a majority of the Noble investigating committee.

The committee met last evening behind closed doors and reviewed the testimony as taken by Stenographer Rollins. Great stress was laid by Councilman O'Connell on the fact that Noble denied having given Lovejoy a bill at the much talked about street committee meeting and O'Connell when asked by Councilman Custy how he knew the marked money, is said to have replied that he knew it from the testimony of Lovejoy, in whom he has confidence.

Chairman O'Connor in reviewing the testimony said it was plain that there is a bad feeling against Noble, by two members, Lovejoy and Kittredge, because of of the former's vote in the council and street committee.

Relative to the passing of the money, if any was passed, no one knows it is the same money, that was shown here at the investigation. If the testimony on this point came from outsiders, matters might be different. As it is, I cannot consider the case sustained.

After more wrangling, Councilman Barclay offered a motion that a report be submitted at the next meeting, stating that the evidence offered in the charge preferred against Councilman Noble, is not sufficient to sustain the allegation. Councilman Custy seconded the motion and it passed. Councilman Barclay, Custy and O'Connor in favor and Councilmen O'Connell and Tryder against. The report was then declared adopted.

A Minority Report.

Councilmen O'Connell and Tryder did considerable wrangling, and were informed by the chairman that it is their privilege to present a minority report. It is probable that they will do so.

COMRADES REUNITED.

Members of the Richardson Light Infantry Once More Talk Over War Times.

The Richardson Light Infantry association held its twenty-second annual reunion at the American house last evening.

Twenty-four members were present and at the business meeting the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Henry L. Gardner, Springfield; vice president, Maj. Gen. A. D. Ayling, Concord, N. H.; secretary and treasurer, Charles W. Brigham; board of government, Franklin French, S. C. Amsden and Henry M. Hand.

At eight o'clock the party repaired to the dining hall, Major General Ayling presiding in absence of the president. The table was adorned with floral mementoes, as is the custom. The ladies were tendered a vote of thanks for their thoughtfulness in furnishing floral decorations.

The secretary's report was as usual elaborate and interesting. The death record showed that four have died during the year, William M. Young, C. W. Sleeper, Charles Bowers and A. N. Coburn. Since the association was formed 51 comrades have died.

A brief but feeling tribute was paid by the secretary to the members who had died since the last reunion.

Comrade W. H. Wotcester read appropriate resolutions upon the death of Comrade William A. Fifield which were unanimously adopted. A committee was appointed to draw up suitable resolutions on the four members who have died during the year.

After the business had been transacted the father of the company, Hon. George F. Richardson spoke in a happy strain. Other speakers were Lieut. W. H. Ruddick, Comrades Schofield, Brigham, Worcester, Fillesetti and Canfield.

CAPT. MITTEN'S COURSE.

He May be Anticipating the Orders to be Issued to Remedy the Trouble.

Col. Bogan did not visit the Welch Guards last night as expected. Capt. Mitten, however, had a drill and began recruiting men, thereby anticipating the orders which are likely to be issued in his case.

It is said that the men who mutinied will be discharged and Capt. Mitten allowed a stated number of weeks in which to recruit his company. The despatch with which Capt. Mitten began recruiting last night gives the impression that he has received the orders.

The men who refused to obey their officer were well represented in the gallery last night.

ATTEMPTED BLACKMAIL.

A Young Doctor the Object of Somebody's Ire.

Dr. A. E. A. McCann of this city, has placed in the hands of the police several letters which he has received from some unknown enemy during the past year, accusing him of improprieties, threatening his life and ordering him out of town. All the letters are anonymous and there are indications that the writer is a woman. Letters were also sent to undesirable patients, asking them to call at his office, and some were sent to patients denouncing the doctor. There were no demands made for money.

"Mystery."

It was a mystery to us where all the people and money came from that flocked into our store Monday and Tuesday. At this rate it is perfectly evident that it will not take all summer to reduce our $40,000 stock. We handled our immense crowd with ease as at the low prices our goods are marked people decided to purchase at once. Our black goods are the finest and colored goods the rarest. Don't miss this sale.

P. S.—We did not burn the midnight oil to write this ad. J. V. KEYES & CO.

The Forester's Convention.

The Lowell delegates to the grand court of Foresters which convened in Lawrence at noontime went down on an early train in a body.

Verdicts Reduced By Court.

Loren Loker's verdict of $765.65 against Campbell & Hanscom was reduced by $400 by Judge Sheldon today. The verdict of James McManus of $1800 against the Lowell & Suburban street railway was reduced to $1200. The damages claimed were for injuries received by falling off a car.

A verdict of $27.37 was given for Mr. Brickett, formerly of Shorey & Brickett, against Dr. Downs. The suit was to recover for a small bill for coal. Dr. Downs claimed that dental work done for Mr. Shorey offset the bill.

Driven Well Water.

Driven Well Contractor Clark expects to supply the whole city with water from the wells within 60 days. The air compressor is to be tried. Commissioner Fels is anxious to see driven well water in Centralville but Supt. Thomas, fears that the well water will never reach the highest points of Centralville.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

Deputy McQuade prosecuted the cases this morning.

Six drunks.

Two were released.

Three were fined three dollars each and one was continued for sentence.

James A. Burton, the fly young man from Haverhill who worked the film flam game in this city a few weeks ago, and who was caught and sentenced withdrew his appeal this morning, and will serve out the original sentence of four months in jail.

James Hennessy and Ellen Kane of Crosby street were in court charged with maintaining a liquor nuisance. The liquor inspectors testified to what they had found at the house on their visits there and no defence was offered. The Kane woman was fined $75 and Hennessey was discharged. Mrs. Kane appealed and gave bonds for her appearance before the Superior court.

James Hickey was sent to jail for fifteen days for drunkenness. Hickey is a ticket of leave man from the Concord reformatory.

The case of Susan A. Graves for alleged fraudulent conveyance of personal property was continued at the defendant's request until May 31.

John Flynn while under the influence of liquor sold some personal property which according to a contract was not his to sell. He pleaded guilty and offered to make good the damage done. He was placed on probation on condition he settled matters.

The sister of James Hickey who was sentenced to jail for 15 days, a hard working young girl, asked the court to impose a fine on her brother as she wanted him to go to work and live at home. The court rather than take money from such a young girl, placed Hickey on probation, withdrawing the sentence, and gave him some sound advice.

Michael Welch, the man who stole a hat from the Lowell One Price Clothing company, was fined $12 and $3 for drunkenness.

One man took the poor debtor's oath before Judge Hadley after court was over.

McPherson was arraigned in court this morning.

Five very small girls ranging in age from 6 to 17 years were present as witnesses against him.

He pleaded not guilty to the charge of assault and battery, and retained as counsel Hon. J. H. Morrison.

The case was called but owing to the tender age of the children it was thought best to have their parents present when they will be examined and a continuance was allowed until tomorrow.

McPherson was held in $500 bonds.

It is thought another charge will be brought against him.

J. E. SHANLEY & CO.

The Right Will Triumph—The Truth Will Prevail—The Mystery Sale a Complete Success.

Lowell, May 21st.—12 Midnight. It's almost too late to write advertisements. We ought to be at home and at rest. (We are tired enough surely.) But we can't leave until we say a word about our sale. Now that it is known that we are the people who are really going to vacate our store and sell out our stock, and that we are the originators of the mystery sale, let us inform you that the mystery is not all solved yet. Keep guessing; there is something more to come later.

P. S.—We heard of two other stores that have copied part of our advertisement word for word; but all these are imitators—none genuine sales. We are the only house that positively state over our signature that we are going to vacate our store.

N. B.—We had the greatest crowd ever known in Lowell at a similar sale. Our doors were closed and locked repeatedly, as we could not handle the trade. Come tomorrow. Don't delay. Open at 8 o'clock.

J. E. SHANLEY & Co.,
The place of the Great Mystery Sale.

SHATTUCK STREET CHURCH.

Parishioners Vote For the Two Prize Plans—They Will be Accepted Later.

The adjourned meeting of the Shattuck street church society was held in the church vestry last evening.

H. P. Goodell called to order and George W. Randall was chosen clerk.

The building committee reported that at a meeting Friday evening, it was decided to award the first prize of $100 for the best plan of a church to J. L. Faxon of Boston who received four votes to one for W. C. Chase of Boston.

For second prize the result was as follows: Davis & Raynes, Lowell, 3 votes; W. C. Chase, Boston, 1; Mansur & Roark, Lowell, 1; and it was decided to recommend that the second prize be awarded to Davis & Raynes.

The committee report was accepted, and the society decided to award first prize to J. L. Faxon of Boston.

A motion was offered to award second prize to Davis & Raynes, but was amended by substituting Colby & Tracy of Boston, and the amendment passed.

It was the vote to dismiss all the plans except those of J. L. Faxon, Colby & Tracy, W. C. Chase, and Davis & Raynes, which will be retained, and a selection for the new church will be made from one of these.

The Catholic Union.

The Catholic Union will meet in Mechanics hall tomorrow evening to listen to a very select musical program. After the entertainment committees will be appointed to bring in a list of candidates to be balloted for at the next meeting. Every member is expected to attend.

A Remarkable Relic.

Frank M. Merrill has on exhibition in one of his windows the muster roll of Co. A, 15th Massachusetts Regiment, in 1780. James Brown was captain of the company and John Howes, lieutenant.

A Birthday Party.

An enjoyable party occurred last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Barnes on Main street in honor of Miss Susie Bellgea, it being her birthday anniversary. An excellent musical program was contributed to by Miss Margaret Coleman on the violin, Mr. Curtis McOwen, and Mr. George Barnes. The young lady was the recipient of a silk umbrella and several fine pieces of fancy work, Mr. Joseph Coleman making the presentation. Dancing, games and refreshments filled in the time pleasantly until midnight.

A Three Weeks' Loaf.

Merritt is good for three weeks' loaf with a split thumb, received in the last game at Philadelphia. Merritt will have to wear a piece of lead pipe on that thumb.

CITY OF LOWELL.

May 22, 1894.

Notice is hereby given under section 6, chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James J. Collins has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, of the sixth class as druggist, at No 93 Gorham street, in two rooms on first floor and cellar.

By order of the Board of Aldermen.
MICHAEL J. DOWD, City Clerk.

LATEST

INDICTED

Four Aldermen Find Themselves in a Plight.

GRAND JURY REPORTED TO JUDGE LILLEY TO-DAY.

Others Also Indicted for Offering Bribes.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

SALEM, May 22.—The Essex county grand jury reported nine indictments against Haverhill aldermen today.

Charles A. Kimball of Haverhill, Thos. H. McDonald and Fred M. Smith of Boston were indicted, 30 counts having been found against them.

Fred M. Smith, Charles A. Kimball, Aldermen Fred H. Cate, George O. Tilton, William H. Hand, Hadley H. Hoyt, were indicted on three counts on the charge of conspiring to procure bribes from applicants for liquor licenses.

A single indictment was found against Alderman Hoyt, charged with requesting a bribe from Charles H. Leighton, and Alderman Tilton was indicted on four counts, charged with inciting William S. Merryman and Thomas Carroll to bribe certain other aldermen.

Thomas H. McDonald was charged on four counts with attempting to bribe Alderman Hoyt.

LICENSE COMMISSION BILL.

IT UNDERGOES AMENDMENTS IN THE SENATE.

The Mayor to Have the Appointing Power—The Bill Passed to be Engrossed.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, May 22.—The license commission bill was amended in the senate so that the commissioners may be removed for cause by the mayor after a public hearing.

The amendment to give the governor the appointing power was rejected. Another to submit the bill to the people was also rejected.

An amendment to reduce the term of office from six to three years was also rejected.

The bill was passed to be engrossed.

New Bedford's Arch-deacon.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, May 22.—The arch-diocesan delegates this noon chose Rev. Ed. S. Rousmarriere arch-deacon of New Bedford.

Against Bucket Shops.

By Associated Press to THE SUN

BOSTON, May 22.—By a vote of 98 to 28 the house passed the anti-bucket shop bill to a third reading. It prohibits wagering contracts in margins on commodities.

Here's a Big Break.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 22.—A washout of 90 feet in length has blocked all travel on the western railway tracks entering this city.

A SERIOUS CHARGE.

Married Man Arrested and Charged With Assaulting Young Girls.

Archibald McPherson, 36 years of age, was arrested by Officers Breault and Provencher on a very serious charge.

The arrested man resides with his wife on Moody street, near the corner of Cabot, and worked in the Lawrence mill, his wife also working in a mill.

He returns from his work at 4 o'clock afternoons, while his wife works till six, and it is said, that lately it has been his habit to entice young girls into his house, as they were passing from St. Joseph's school. With those whom he had inside, it is said, he took improper liberties, after giving them pennies and candies.

Although it is claimed this state of affairs had been going on for some time, it never leaked out until yesterday when one little girl told Sister Superior Roby of her visit to McPherson house. After considerable questioning the sister obtained the whole story from the girl, and from about 15 others who it is claimed had also been to the house. Their ages ranged from 6 to 11 years, and with one exception, all were of French parents.

The police have the names of all the children, and they will appear against him in court tomorrow.

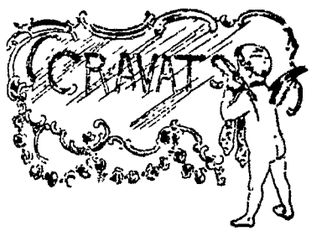
When McPherson saw the officers approaching he became deathly pale, and when told the charge against him, he pleaded ignorance of it. His wife, who was with him at the time of his arrest, was almost frantic.

As soon as the government's evidence is complete the case will come up in the police court.

Several of the parents of the children, upon learning of the affair, stated that if the law did not deal properly with the man, they would take matters into their own hands.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of George Tame took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from his parents' home in the rear of 110 Lakeview avenue and was well attended. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.



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A GOLDEN MARK

IN THE MARRIED LIFE OF MR. AND MRS. FREDERICK HOLTON.

Event the Occasion of Many Congratulations For the Happy Couple—Many Friends From Abroad Were at the Reception.

The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Holton was held yesterday at their cosy home 178 Pawtucket street, on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage.

Many friends of the happy couple took advantage of the event and tendered their congratulations.

During Mr. Holton's long and honorable career in Lowell he has been a prominent figure in the community, and has been identified more or less with the growth and development of the city, having resided here 54 years.

Mr. Holton was born in Northfield, Mass., in 1815, thus being 79 years of age. He came to Lowell in 1840 and in 1844 married Miss Clara Bowers of this city, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Dr. Blanchard of the Kirk street church. Three children blessed their union, two girls and one boy. One daughter married Mr. A. C. Russell of Boston and she and her two daughters, Miss Russell and Miss Pauline Russell were present at the wedding. The other daughter married Mr. F. P. Pearson of Boston, and the son, Charles F. Holton, who resides in Everett, Washington, is still unmarried.

For many years Mr. Holton was engaged in the shoe business on Merrimack street and afterwards in the real estate business. Later still, he travelled for a shoe firm four years and when last engaged in business was conducting a prosperous wholesale shoe business in Boston. His business was burned out in the fire of 1872 and since then he has lived a retired, peaceful life at his home on Pawtucket street having resided there since coming to Lowell. He entered politics in 1840 while in Michigan and in this city was elected to the common council in 1856-57 in the latter presiding over the body, and in 1763 64 was in the legislature. He could have had many other political offices had he desired them.

He assisted in the organization of the Richardson light infantry and the Butler rifles.

The celebration of yesterday was a delightfully informal affair, the reception lasting from 4 till 8 o'clock. Among the immediate relatives from out of-town were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Holton, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Mann and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Shepard of Medford, Mrs. John Twombley of Winchester, Mrs. H. W. Warren of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hedge of South Boston, the latter being Mrs. Holton's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jenney of South Boston, Miss Charlotte Taylor, Mrs. Charles Tinkham and Mrs. Leonard Lawrence of Boston, and Thomas Pearson of North Adams, also Mrs. Russell's eldest daughter, Mrs. L. W. Ham of Brookline. Mrs. Henry Carroll of Belvidere, another of Mrs. Holton's sisters, assisted in receiving.

The happy couple received many gifts from their numerous friends, including beautiful floral tributes from friends as far away as Florida. The son Charles F. was unable to be present but he sent congratulations. A congratulatory letter was received from the Richardson light infantry.

The Kimball Sale.

The sale of the John F. Kimball property embracing the real estate and personal property was held at five o'clock yesterday afternoon, with a large attendance present and Simon B. Harris wielding the hammer. The real estate started at $5000 and advanced rapidly until $10,000 was reached. It then went a little slower and was finally knocked down for $14,375 to Dr. James O'Sullivan, with the proviso that Mrs. Kimball retain her right of dower. The personal property also brought good prices.

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☞THE SUN is the only paper in Lowell receiving The Associated Press, cable and telegraphic despatches. Most of the news items in this issue can be found in the other local papers tomorrow, if you are willing to wait till then.

ULTIMATUM

Given by Mine Operators to the Striking Miners.

BLOOD MAY FLOW IF IT IS REFUSED.

Outside Men Will be Set at Work May 29th.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 22. — The bituminous coal operators throughout the central allied districts of this state have voted to give the strikers until May 28th to return; if the strike is not declared off then outside labor will be set at work.

The operators predict the end of the strike is in view, while the strike leaders predict serious trouble and bloodshed.

The action of the operators is likely to be followed throughout the entire mining region.

President McBride of the Miner's union is charged with trying to become a dictator.

Col. Bend, the great mine operator, says the coal situation is serious.

Maine's U. S. Attorney.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WASHINGTON, May 22. — President Cleveland today appointed Albert Bradbury, U. S. attorney for the district of Maine.

Vetoed the Bill.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 22.—Gov. Flower today vetoed the public health bill which had been amended to provide for criminal punishment in addition to the civil liability of practicing medicine without registration.

WHIST CLUB FUNERAL.

Benighted City People in Ward Five Saw a Strange Procession.

The entertainment of the Young Married Ladies' Whist club at Tyng's Island yesterday by Mrs. Alex. Cameron and Mrs. E. S. Sherman proved one of the most interesting in the history of the Country club, in more ways than one. The adventure which befell the 70 or 80 persons at the island will be the subject of considerable laughter for some time to come.

The ladies went up by steamer about 2 o'clock and played whist; the gentlemen went up at 6 o'clock.

After a delightful evening, the party awaited the coming of the steamer, which never came. Despairing of reaching home that way carriages and hacks were telephoned for from the city. The vehicles of neighboring farmers were pressed into service and there was great commotion all along the road.

To add to the uncomfortable nature of the incident the fog on the road was very dense. Many of the gentlemen walked home, and the last man heard from was at 3 a. m. Happily no serious after effects are anticipated from the adventure. The steamer met with a slight accident which accounts for the trouble.

Benighted city people in Ward Five on meeting the procession of vehicles were told that it was a whist club funeral from Nashua.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Cheney are entertaining their cousins, Hon. and Mrs. George A. Pillsbury of Minneapolis. The former is the great flour mill owner.

How to Improve Our Streets.

Mr. McClintock of Chelsea, a member of the state road commission, and an authority on road building, has been invited to visit Lowell and look over the streets and offer suggestions as to means of improving them.

B. A. A.'s Defeat.

In the duck pin contest at the Miserables' alleys last evening, the 999th defeated the B. A. A.'s by ten pins. Kirby was high roller and established a record of 313 pins. Kittredge was very weak, while Oscar Brown did the best work for the 999th. The score follows:

999th—D. Donahue 253, Brown 278, Murphy 241, J. Donahoe 275, Savage 267; total 1319.

B. A. As.—Stewart 209, Pollard 254, Kirby 313, Anderson 265, Kittredge 220; total 1309.

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BENSON DEAD

Shock to the Community in Which He Lived.

ONE OF THE STAUNCHEST MEMBERS OF THE DEMOCRACY.

Late Councilman Was Highly Respected Throughout the City.

Councilman William T. Benson of Ward Six is dead.

Such was the sad news bulletined by the daily papers yesterday afternoon.

It was shocking news and caused a great sensation, for it was almost impossible to believe that the popular councilman who but a few days since walked through the city, apparently in good health, had passed away.

For years past he had been troubled periodically with hernia, and with age his sufferings with the illness increased. An operation became necessary, and realizing this, he made preparations and entered St. John's hospital Saturday.

Yesterday morning the operation, a very difficult one, was performed by Drs. Irish of this city, Marshall, a well known specialist of Boston, and a number of local physicians and was fairly successful.

The patient after the operation had full control of his mental faculties and although in a critical condition, it was hoped he would rally and overcome the effects of the operation.

But, unhappily such was not the case and in the early afternoon, his nurses, the good sisters who were constantly at his bedside, became aware of a change which betokened the coming of death, and at his request a messenger was sent for a clergyman. Revs. Fr. Burns, O. M. I. and Fr. Dacey, O. M. I., responded quickly, the former administering the last sacrament, the dying man having made his confession on the previous day to his pastor, Rev. Fr. Ronan.

His relatives were notified of the approaching end, and at 3.20 o'clock surrounded by the clergymen and sisters, fully conscious of and well prepared for his approaching end, William T. Benson, one of Lowell's most popular citizens closed his eyes in death.

His Life.

William T. Benson was 44 years of age and was born in Southbridge, Mass.

When but three months old his parents' removed to this city, where he lived until his death.

He received his early education in the local public schools, receiving a grammar school diploma. Not blessed with worldly goods, he entered the employ of L. W. Faulkner & Sons, upon leaving school, and there learned his trade, that of finishing.

While but an apprentice learning his trade he gave evidence of qualities which afterwards made him popular throughout the city, namely honesty, faithfulness and perseverance, and he rose gradually to the position of foreman of his department which position he held for twelve years, gaining by his efforts the confidence and respect of both employers and workmen.

He retired from Faulkner's, some 10 years ago entering business for himself, and for the past nine years had conducted a successful grocery business at 152 Lawrence street possessing with his other good qualities considerable business ability.

His political career which was without a blemish is mentioned elsewhere.

His family consisted of his wife, two sons, now deceased, one daughter, and his aged mother and to these he was passionately devoted being known throughout the city a veritable home body, an affectionate son, loving husband and devoted father.

The comforts of the fireside were far dearer to him than the passing pleasure of public life and he belonged to but few societies. He was formerly a leading spirit in the old Celtic associates, and was prominently known in connection with the Knights of Columbus and Division 11, A. O. H., being president of the latter society for a number of years.

He was a zealous Catholic, and a faithful attendant of St. Peter's church in which parish he resided.

To say that he will be missed, is unnecessary, for men possessing so many good qualities, as did he, are always missed when removed from our midst. Mr. Benson was a friend to everyone, and he was never known in public or private life to make an enemy, and it is a well known fact that on many occasions he had put aside his own interests to further those of his friends. In the poor of Ward Six he took a particularly active interest, and to assist them, he put away all thoughts of creed, and political persuasion, they were all alike to him. To the men who fought and bled for our country's flag he was a sincere friend, in and out of politics, and at the camp fire, or around the banquet board he was always an honored guest with the veterans.

But, now he is dead, and a sudden gloom is cast over the section of the city in the interest of which he labored untiringly.

He is mourned universally, and to his distracted family is tendered the sympathy and condolence of an entire community.

His Political Career.

Mr. Benson was called upon on four different occasions to serve his fellow citizens in public office.

In 1879, after a spirited contest, he was chosen to the common council from Ward Three. Associated with him from the same ward were Henry P. Morris, Edward Cawley and Patrick A. Rogers.

The following year he was favored with a re-election, and with Peter H. Donahoe, Patrick A. Rogers and Frank Wood, the deceased looked after the interests of his ward.

For a time he forsook political life, but at the request of a great many Ward Six voters, where he then resided, he entered the field of councilmanic candidates in 1892, and was successful.

In '93 the people returned him to the council and his name was prominently mentioned in connection with the presidency of the council. With the assistance of his friends he acquired the honorable position, receiving the thirteen democratic votes, the republican votes going to James O'Sullivan.

It was in this year that he displayed his unflinching democracy by holding back his committees until Mayor Pickman had named the aldermanic members. By this course the committees of the government were made democratic.

This year, being re-elected, he again became a candidate for the presidency. It was conceded on all hands, after the caucus of the democratic members that Mr. Benson would be the next president. But all hopes vanished when several of the democratic members of the council joined the republicans, and elected Mr. Sparks to succeed Mr. Benson. No one felt a defeat more than Mr. Benson did this one.

His colleagues in the common council feel his death keenly, and when the sad news reached them their words of sympathy spoke volumes. The democratic party of the city has lost a staunch supporter in his death, and the city has lost one of the truest and best democrats who ever served her interests.

The democrats of Ward Six will meet tonight in the ward room to take action on the death of Councilman William T. Benson.

Mr. Benson's Funeral.

The funeral of the late Councilman William T. Benson will occur tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from St. Peter's church.

Prompt to Act.

Mayor Pickman has called a special meeting of the aldermen for this evening to take action on the death of Councilman Benson.

The flags on all the public buildings of the city are at half mast.

The council meeting will be held at 8 o'clock tonight and suitable action will be taken on the death of the late councilman. His desk and chair in the council chamber are draped in mourning, and a bouquet of lilies and roses has been placed on the desk.

At city hall, the deceased councilman's death is sincerely mourned by all, and on every side could be heard expressions of sympathy for "Poor Billy."

LAKEVIEWS' THEATRE

Was Opened For the Summer Season With Weather Below Par—Excellent Minstrel Show Presented.

At Lakeview park, yesterday, the theatrical season opened, and in spite of the frigidity of the atmosphere a large audience was present, afternoon and evening. The theatre has undergone many desirable changes by which larger audiences can be accommodated.

The attraction yesterday, which will hold the boards this week, was Gilbert's high class minstrels of Boston, a collection of fine vocalists, comedians and dancers. The first part kept the audience in roars. The Messrs. Mack manipulated the tambos and the Messrs. Emerson the bones, on on the ends and with Interlocutor Scammman they cracked many timely jokes. A novel feature in the first part was the interspersing of several pretty young ladies who sang in chorus. The second part was not quite as lively as the first but will be all right before the week is ended as it will be toned up somewhat. Emerson's stump speech was quite funny and "Billy" Short's buck and wing dancing and his fine solos were well received.

A large crowd enjoyed dancing during the afternoon and evening. The street railway company will do better than ever before in putting more electrics on the route, and outside the city faster time will be made so that the homeward trip will be quickly made. Performances in the theatre will be given twice daily.

AT ST. PETER'S.

Archbishop Williams to Administer Confirmation This Evening.

A very large number of children, boys and girls received their first communion at St. Peter's church this morning. Rev. Fr. McManus celebrated the mass and delivered a brief instruction to the children. This evening His Grace Archbishop Williams will administer the sacrament of confirmation to all the children prepared by the Sunday school.

Loss Will be $121,000.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

JOHNSTOWN, May 22.—The damage by the flood as reported today is estimated at $121,000.

DEATHS.

Elizabeth H. Trow, aged 71 years, died yesterday at her home in East Billerica.

Sarah A. Boardman, aged 32 years, died yesterday at her home, 7 Gates street. She leaves three children.

Daniel, infant son of Daniel, the well known fireman, and Jessie Crowley, died yesterday at their home, 87 Clarke street.

Sarah A. Bowden, 32 years old, died yesterday at her home, 7 Gates street. Deceased was the widow of the late James Bowden.

John P. Ankarloo, an eminent Mason and the best known dyer in northern New England, died at his home in Manchester, N. H., yesterday afternoon, aged 71 years. Deceased was a native of Sweden and came here some 30 years ago. He had been a dyer in Manchester for 27 years. He was a staunch democrat. He is survived by a widow and several brothers and sisters, the latter being all in Sweden. He was the father-in-law of W. E. Gilmore of THE SUN.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts.

LOCAL NOTES.

The outing club of the Y. M. C. A., goes to Concord next Saturday on a buckboard.

The only intention recorded at the city clerk's office today was: Francis Cote, 22, to Olivia Lovanque, 23.

The alarm from box 39, at 11.30 last night, was for a blaze in Ed. Murphy's block on Broadway, near Fletcher street.

An explosion of naphtha caused a slight blaze in Shaw's steam fitting shop on Middlesex street, last evening. Damage was slight.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Perkins of Santa Cruz, Cal., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Ramsdell, 103 Hastings street.

Mr. Frank G. Mack of this city is at present in Chicago, having just completed a successful season with the Blue Grass Comedy company.

The Salvation Army will hold a travelers' union meeting Wednesday evening, at which all the members will appear with something to show what trade employs them.

In the police station are some dies and die cutters such as used by machinists, which were taken from Michael McDonald arrested when he was trying to pawn them, by Chief Davis and Inspector Allen last night.

The funeral of Isaac S. Archibald occurred this afternoon from his late residence, 47 Tyler street. After services at the house the remains were conveyed to the Westminster Presbyterian church where Rev. J. O. Campbell officiated. The interment in charge of C. M. Young was in the Edson cemetery.

A pleasant assembly was held at the residence of "Joe" Raymond on Concord street last evening. A delightful entertainment was held at which Mr. Peter Hayden favored the company with several difficult yet well rendered piano solos. He also rendered pleasing vocal selections. Dancing was enjoyed and a collation served.

Boys,

now is your chance, a bat and ball given with 1 pound of our 50c. tea purchased this week. The U. S. Tea Co., corner Central and Prescott streets.

Wanted—A Leader.

Three attempts yesterday were made to get a meeting of the unemployed city laborers but each failed. The reason assigned by the men was the lack of a leader.

CHARGES NOT PROVEN.

SUCH IS THE ANTICIPATED REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE.

Noble Investigating Committee Met Behind Closed Doors, But the Doings of the Committee Got Out Just the Same.

"The charges have not been proven."

Such is the verdict of a majority of the Noble investigating committee.

The committee met last evening behind closed doors and reviewed the testimony as taken by Stenographer Rollins. Great stress was laid by Councilman O'Connell on the fact that Noble denied having given Lovejoy a bill at the much talked about street committee meeting and O'Connell when asked by Councilman Custy how he knew the marked money, is said to have replied that he knew it from the testimony of Lovejoy, in whom he has confidence.

Chairman O'Connor in reviewing the testimony said it was plain that there is a bad feeling against Noble, by two members, Lovejoy and Kittredge, because of of the former's vote in the council and street committee.

Relative to the passing of the money, if any was passed, no one knows it is the same money, that was shown here at the investigation. If the testimony on this point came from outsiders, matters might be different. As it is, I cannot consider the case sustained.

After more wrangling, Councilman Barclay offered a motion that a report be submitted at the next meeting, stating that the evidence offered in the charge preferred against Councilman Noble, is not sufficient to sustain the allegation. Councilman Custy seconded the motion and it passed. Councilman Barclay, Custy and O'Connor in favor and Councilman O'Connell and Tryder against. The report was then declared adopted.

A Minority Report.

Councilmen O'Connell and Tryder did considerable wrangling, and were informed by the chairman that it is their privilege to present a minority report. It is probable that they will do so.

COMRADES REUNITED.

Members of the Richardson Light Infantry Once More Talk Over War Times.

The Richardson Light Infantry association held its twenty-second annual reunion at the American house last evening.

Twenty-four members were present and at the business meeting the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Henry L. Gardner, Springfield; vice president, Maj. Gen. A. D. Ayling, Concord, N. H.; secretary and treasurer, Charles W. Brigham; board of government, Franklin French, S. C. Amsden and Henry M. Hand.

At eight o'clock the party repaired to the dining hall, Major General Ayling presiding in absence of the president. The table was adorned with floral mementoes, as is the custom. The ladies were tendered a vote of thanks for their thoughtfulness in furnishing floral decorations.

The secretary's report was as usual elaborate and interesting. The death record showed that four have died during the year, William M. Young, C. W. Sleeper, Charles Bowers and A. N. Coburn. Since the association was formed 51 comrades have died.

A brief but feeling tribute was paid by the secretary to the members who had died since the last reunion.

Comrade W. H. Worcester read appropriate resolutions upon the death of Comrade William A. Fifield which were unanimously adopted. A committee was appointed to draw up suitable resolutions on the four members who have died during the year.

After the business had been transacted the father of the company, Hon. George F. Richardson spoke in a happy strain. Other speakers were Lieut. W. H. Ruddick, Comrades Schofield, Brigham, Worcester, Fillesetti and Canfield.

CAPT. MITTEN'S COURSE.

He May be Anticipating the Orders to be Issued to Remedy the Trouble.

Col. Bogan did not visit the Welch Guards last night as expected. Capt. Mitten, however, had a drill and began recruiting men, thereby anticipating the orders which are likely to be issued in his case.

It is said that the men who mutinied will be discharged and Capt. Mitten allowed a stated number of weeks in which to recruit his company. The despatch with which Capt. Mitten began recruiting last night gives the impression that he has received the orders.

The men who refused to obey their officer were well represented in the gallery last night.

ATTEMPTED BLACKMAIL.

A Young Doctor the Object of Somebody's Ire.

Dr. A. E. A. McCann of this city, has placed in the hands of the police several letters which he has received from some unknown enemy during the past year, accusing him of improprieties, threatening his life and ordering him out of town. All the letters are anonymous and there are indications that the writer is a woman. Letters were also sent to undesirable patients, asking them to call at his office, and some were sent to patients denouncing the doctor. There were no demands made for money.

"Mystery."

It was a mystery to us where all the people and money came from that flocked into our store Monday and Tuesday. At this rate it is perfectly evident that it will not take all summer to reduce our $40,000 stock. We handled our immense crowd with ease as at the low prices our goods are marked people decided to purchase at once. Our black goods are the finest and colored goods the rarest. Don't miss this sale.

P. S.—We did not burn the midnight oil to write this ad. J. V. KEYES & CO.

The Forester's Convention.

The Lowell delegates to the grand court of Foresters which convened in Lawrence at noontime went down on an early train in a body.

Verdicts Reduced By Court.

Loren Loker's verdict of $765.65 against Campbell & Hanscom was reduced by $400 by Judge Sheldon today. The verdict of James McManus of $1800 against the Lowell & Suburban street railway was reduced to $1200. The damages claimed were for injuries received by falling off a car.

A verdict of $27.37 was given for Mr. Brickett, formerly of Shorey & Brickett, against Dr. Downs. The suit was to recover for a small bill for coal. Dr. Downs claimed that dental work done for Mr. Shorey offset the bill.

Driven Well Water.

Driven Well Contractor Clark expects to supply the whole city with water from the wells within 60 days. The air compressor is to be tried. Commissioner Fels is anxious to see driven well water in Centralville but Supt. Thomas, fears that the well water will never reach the highest points of Centralville.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

Deputy McQuade prosecuted the cases this morning.

Six drunks.

Two were released.

Three were fined three dollars each and one was continued for sentence.

James A. Burton, the fly young man from Haverhill who worked the film flam game in this city a few weeks ago, and who was caught and sentenced withdrew his appeal this morning, and will serve out the original sentence of four months in jail.

James Hennessy and Ellen Kane of Crosby street were in court charged with maintaining a liquor nuisance. The liquor inspectors testified to what they had found at the house on their visits there and no defence was offered. The Kane woman was fined $70 and Hennessey was discharged. Mrs. Kane appealed and gave bonds for her appearance before the Superior court.

James Hickey was sent to jail for fifteen days for drunkenness. Hickey is a ticket of leave man from the Concord reformatory.

The case of Susan A. Graves for alleged fraudulent conveyance of personal property was continued at the defendant's request until May 31.

John Flynn while under the influence of liquor sold some personal property which according to a contract was not his to sell. He pleaded guilty and offered to make good the damage done. He was placed on probation on condition he settled matters.

The sister of James Hickey who was sentenced to jail for 15 days, a hard working young girl, asked the court to impose a fine on her brother as she wanted him to go to work and live at home. The court rather than take money from such a young girl, placed Hickey on probation, withdrawing the sentence, and gave him some sound advice.

Michael Welch, the man who stole a hat from the Lowell One Price Clothing company, was fined $12 and $3 for drunkenness.

One man took the poor debtor's oath before Judge Hadley after court was over.

McPherson was arraigned in court this morning.

Five very small girls ranging in age from 6 to 17 years were present as witnesses against him.

He pleaded not guilty to the charge of assault and battery, and retained as counsel Hon. J. H. Morrison.

The case was called but owing to the tender age of the children it was thought best to have their parents present when they will be examined and a continuance was allowed until tomorrow.

McPherson was held in $600 bonds.

It is thought another charge will be brought against him.

J. E. SHANLEY & CO.

The Right Will Triumph—The Truth Will Prevail—The Mystery Sale a Complete Success.

Lowell, May. 21st.—12 Midnight. It's almost too late to write advertisements. We ought to be at home and at rest. (We are tired enough surely.) But we can't leave until we say a word about our sale. Now that it is known that we are the people who are really going to vacate our store and sell out our stock, and that we are the originators of the mystery sale, let us inform you that the mystery is not all solved yet. Keep guessing; there is something more to come later.

P. S.—We heard of two other stores that have copied part of our advertisement word for word; but all these are imitators—none genuine sales. We are the only house that positively state over our signature that we are going to vacate our store.

N. B.—We had the greatest crowd ever known in Lowell at a similar sale. Our doors were closed and locked repeatedly, as we could not handle the trade. Come tomorrow. Don't delay. Open at 8 o'clock.

J. E. SHANLEY & CO.,
The place of the Great Mystery Sale.

SHATTUCK STREET CHURCH.

Parishioners Vote For the Two Prize Plans—They Will be Accepted Later.

The adjourned meeting of the Shattuck street church society was held in the church vestry last evening.

H. P. Goodell called to order and George W. Randall was chosen clerk.

The building committee reported that at a meeting Friday evening, it was decided to award the first prize of $100 for the best plan of a church to J. L. Faxon of Boston who received four votes to one for W. C. Chase of Boston.

For second prize the result was as follows: Davis & Raynes, Lowell, 3 votes; W. C. Chase, Boston, 1; Mansur & Hoark, Lowell, 1; and it was decided to recommend that the second prize be awarded to Davis & Raynes.

The committee report was accepted, and the society decided to award first prize to J. L. Faxon of Boston.

A motion was offered to award second prize to Davis & Raynes, but was amended by substituting Colby & Tracy of Boston, and the amendment passed.

It was the vote to dismiss all the plans except those of J. L. Faxon, Colby & Tracy, W. C. Chase, and Davis & Raynes, which will be retained, and a selection for the new church will be made from one of these.

The Catholic Union.

The Catholic Union will meet in Mechanics hall tomorrow evening to listen to a very select musical program. After the entertainment committees will be appointed to bring in a list of candidates to be balloted for at the next meeting. Every member is expected to attend.

A Remarkable Relic.

Frank M. Merrill has on exhibition in one of his windows the muster roll of Co. A, 15th Massachusetts Regiment, in 1780. James Brown was captain of the company and John Howes, lieutenant.

A Birthday Party.

An enjoyable party occurred last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Barnes on Main street in honor of Miss Susie Bellrea, it being her birthday anniversary. An excellent musical program was contributed to by Miss Margaret Coleman on the violin, Mr. Curtis McOwen, and Mr. George Barnes. The young lady was the recipient of a silk umbrella and several fine pieces of fancy work, Mr. Joseph Coleman making the presentation. Dancing, games and refreshments filled in the time pleasantly until midnight.

A Three Weeks' Loaf.

Merritt is good for three weeks' loaf with a split thumb, received in the last game at Philadelphia. Merritt will have to wear a piece of lead pipe on that thumb.

CITY OF LOWELL.

May 22, 1894.

Notice is hereby given under section 6, chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James J. Collins has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, of the sixth class as druggist, at No. 93 Merrimack street, in two rooms on first floor and cellar.

By order of the Board of Aldermen,
MICHAEL J. DOWD, City Clerk.

LATEST

INDICTED

Four Aldermen Find Themselves in a Plight.

GRAND JURY REPORTED TO JUDGE LILLEY TO-DAY.

Others Also Indicted for Offering Bribes.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

SALEM, May 22.—The Essex county grand jury reported nine indictments against Haverhill aldermen today.

Charles A. Kimball of Haverhill, Thos. H. McDonald and Fred M. Smith of Boston were indicted, 30 counts having been found against them.

Fred M. Smith, Charles A. Kimball, Aldermen Fred H. Cate, George O. Tilton, William H. Hand, Hadley H. Hoyt, were indicted on three counts on the charge of conspiring to procure bribes from applicants for liquor licenses.

A single indictment was found against Alderman Hoyt, charged with requesting a bribe from Charles H. Leighton, and Alderman Tilton was indicted on four counts, charged with inciting William S. Merryman and Thomas Carroll to bribe certain other aldermen.

Thomas H. McDonald was charged on four counts with attempting to bribe Alderman Hoyt.

LICENSE COMMISSION BILL.

IT UNDERGOES AMENDMENTS IN THE SENATE.

The Mayor to Have the Appointing Power—The Bill Passed to be Engrossed.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, May 22.—The license commission bill was amended in the senate so that the commissioners may be removed for cause by the mayor after a public hearing.

The amendment to give the governor the appointing power was rejected. Another to submit the bill to the people was also rejected.

An amendment to reduce the term of office from six to three years was also rejected.

The bill was passed to be engrossed.

New Bedford's Arch-deacon.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, May 22.—The arch-diocesan delegates this noon chose Rev. Ed. S. Rousmarriere arch-deacon of New Bedford.

Against Bucket Shops.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, May 22.—By a vote of 93 to 28 the house passed the anti-bucket shop bill to a third reading. It prohibits wagering contracts in margins on commodities.

Here's a Big Break.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 22.—A washout of 90 feet in length has blocked all travel on the western railway tracks entering this city.

A SERIOUS CHARGE.

Married Man Arrested and Charged With Assaulting Young Girls.

Archibald McPherson, 30 years of age, was arrested by Officers Breault and Provencher on a very serious charge.

The arrested man resides with his wife on Moody street, near the corner of Cabot, and worked in the Lawrence mill, his wife also working in a mill.

He returns from his work at 4 o'clock afternoons, while his wife works till six, and it is said, that lately it has been his habit to entice young girls into his house, as they were passing from St. Joseph's school. With those whom he had inside, it is said, he took improper liberties, after giving them pennies and candies.

Although it is claimed this state of affairs had been going on for some time, it never leaked out until yesterday when one little girl told Sister Superior Roby of her visit to McPherson house. After considerable questioning the sister obtained the whole story from the girl, and from about 15 others who it is claimed had also been to the house. Their ages ranged from 6 to 11 years, and with one exception, all were of French parents.

The police have the names of all the children, and they will appear against him in court tomorrow.

When McPherson saw the officers approaching he became deathly pale, and when told the charge against him, he pleaded ignorance of it. His wife, who was with him at the time of his arrest, was almost frantic.

As soon as the government's evidence is complete the case will come up in the police court.

Several of the parents of the children, upon learning of the affair, stated that if the law did not deal properly with the man, they would take matters into their own hands.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of George Tame took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from his parents' home in the rear of 110 Lakeview avenue and was well attended. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

The ideal Summer Scarf is the White Pongee Silk Four-in-Hand.

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A GOLDEN MARK

IN THE MARRIED LIFE OF MR. AND MRS. FREDERICK HOLTON.

Event the Occasion of Many Congratulations For the Happy Couple—Many Friends From Abroad Were at the Reception.

The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Holton was held yesterday at their cosy home 178 Pawtucket street, on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage.

Many friends of the happy couple took advantage of the event and tendered their congratulations.

During Mr. Holton's long and honorable career in Lowell he has been a prominent figure in the community, and has been identified more or less with the growth and development of the city, having resided here 54 years.

Mr. Holton was born in Northfield, Mass., in 1815, thus being 79 years of age. He came to Lowell in 1840 and in 1844 married Miss Clara Bowers of this city, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Dr. Blanchard of the Kirk street church. Three children blessed their union, two girls and one boy. One daughter married Mr. A. C. Russell of Boston and she and her two daughters, Miss Russell and Miss Pauline Russell were present at the wedding. The other daughter married Mr. F. P. Pearson of Boston, and the son, Charles F. Holton, who resides in Everett, Washington, is still unmarried.

For many years Mr. Holton was engaged in the shoe business on Merrimack street and afterwards in the real estate business. Later still, he travelled for a shoe firm four years and when last engaged in business was conducting a prosperous wholesale shoe business in Boston. His business was burned out in the fire of 1872 and since then he has lived a retired, peaceful life at his home on Pawtucket street having resided there since coming to Lowell. He entered politics in 1840 while in Michigan and in this city was elected to the common council in 1856-57 in the latter presiding over the body, and in 1763-64 was in the legislature. He could have had many other political offices had he desired them.

He assisted in the organization of the Richardson light infantry and the Butler rifles.

The celebration of yesterday was a delightfully informal affair, the reception lasting from 4 till 8 o'clock. Among the immediate relatives from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Holton, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Mann and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Shepard of Medford, Mrs. John Twombley of Winchester, and Mrs. H. W. Warren of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hedge of South Boston, the latter being Mrs. Holton's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jenney of South Boston, Miss Charlotte Taylor, Mrs. Charles Tinkham and Mrs. Leonard Lawrence of Boston, and Thomas Pearson of North Adams, also Mrs. Russell's eldest daughter, Mrs. L. W. Ham of Brookline. Mrs. Henry Carroll of Belvidere, another of Mrs. Holton's sisters, assisted in receiving.

The happy couple received many gifts from their numerous friends, including beautiful floral tributes from friends as far away as Florida. The son Charles F. was unable to be present but he sent congratulations. A congratulatory letter was received from the Richardson light infantry.

The Kimball Sale.

The sale of the John F. Kimball property embracing the real estate and personal property was held at five o'clock yesterday afternoon, with a large attendance present and Simon B. Harris wielding the hammer. The real estate started at $5000 and advanced rapidly until $10,000 was reached. It then went a little slower and was finally knocked down for $14,575 to Dr. James O'Sullivan, with the proviso that Mrs. Kimball retain her right of dower. The personal property also brought good prices.

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3 00	4 24	3 30	4 48
§4 02	4 45	4 20	5 33
4 30	5 30	5 00	5 44
§5 33	6 38	5 25	6 22
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§7 52	8 35	7 30	8 10
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Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
§7 18	8 02	2 00	2 55
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To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.
6 50	8 05	7 30	8 35
8 15	9 18	9 33	10 37
9 20	10 32	10 25	11 43
10 30	12 05	12 00	1 07
12 15	1 40	2 15	3 27
12 45	2 00	3 15	4 20
3 25	4 39	4 30	5 45
4 10	5 22	5 00	6 16
5 10	6 42	6 00	7 06
6 55	8 00	6 35	7 45
9 25	10 33		

Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.
8 15	9 30	8 00	9 19
12 05	1 26	11 45	12 56
4 15	5 30	5 00	6 26
5 35	7 00	7 00	8 22
7 30	8 50		

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Central street station

Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway Street.

NO OTHER.

The only penny paper in Lowell receiving cable and telegraphic dispatches is THE SUN. We print the latest news of the world up to the time of going to press with each edition.

FALL RIVER is trying to reconcile herself to her police commission.

THE GOVERNOR and his council are not of one mind on various matters.

HAVERHILL IS now having her innings on license deals. Lowell may have her turn next.

THE CENTRAL LABOR union is becoming very aggressive in tone and rightly so. Otherwise it will never get anything.

THE ALDERMEN had better not stand out against voting for the sewer loan. It may prove a political whirlpool for some.

THE COMMITTEE that went to Philadelphia to investigate a cremator should have something good to recommend to the city council.

IT IS a notable fact that Mgr. Satolli visited the Waterbury high school and made an eloquent address which pleased everybody.

THE UNEMPLOYED of the city demand prompt attention from the city council. The sewer appropriation should be made tomorrow night.

"PANIS ET CIRCENSES," bread and circuses was the cry of the ancient Romans; but the people of this city cry "more sewers, more work."

THE MAYOR of Woburn is assailed for refusing to sign certain licenses. After all the mayor of a city can exercise some discretion in the matter of signing licenses.

ANY DELAY upon the construction of the Centralville sewer will entail loss to the city. The stakes are now set and the sewer so far as excavated is almost filled with water.

THE REFERENDUM does not go down with the corporations and the aristocrats. The kind of referendum the legislature is preparing to give will not go down with the people.

SENATOR MILLS is peculiarly happy in calling some men by their proper names. He has dubbed our own Senator Hoar "the pharisee from Massachusetts" which is an apt appellation.

Pawtucket is the last place to be devastated by fire. Too bad!—Haverhill Gazette.

Does the Gazette long to see some other city visited by a conflagration?

WHY SHOULD the state furnish rapid transit for Boston? Lowell is ready to accept a bounty for providing more rapid transit than she has at present without at all complaining of the street railroad.

THAT PLACE upon the commission for the unemployed is yet unfilled. Carey was rejected by the executive council. It seems at present there is a disposition to delay the matter until nothing of importance can be done. Is the governor a party to any such subterfuge? We think not.

THE Massachusetts High school battalion will have its annual competitive drill in Reading on May 29th. This is an annual event which causes the boys to give too much attention to drill and too little to their studies. It is generally conceded that the boys would be better not to have such a drill.

COXEY sentenced to jail with many of his followers! The courts seem to stand unawed by the great general whose expedition was almost as unsuccessful as that of Napoleon when he marched to Moscow and found the city in ashes. The next problem for Coxey to solve is how to get his army home. The march outward was bad enough but the return will be worse.

THE REPUBLICANS in congress are wrangling among themselves. Some want to reduce the bill if possible, others, the democratic contingent, want to help the democrats in reaching a conclusion of some kind in order that the country may suffer no more from the evil effects of suspense on tariff matters. But the bill will pass despite their opposition.

COUNCILMAN BENSON DEAD.

The friends of William T. Benson, and they are numerous throughout the city, sustained a severe shock yesterday afternoon on hearing of his sudden and unexpected death.

The nature of his illness was such that his recovery could not at any stage be predicted with any degree of certainty; but nobody thought he would drop off in such a short time To his bereaved family goes out the heartfelt sympathy of all who knew him in life, for none knew Wm. T. Benson whether officially or in his private capacity as a man, but recognized in him a man of strict integrity, unflinching honesty of purpose, a sterling democrat and a sincere Catholic.

He served with honor in the common council of 1879 and 1880, and was again elected in 1891 and successively in 1892 and 1893. During his official career he sacrificed personal interests for principle and party loyalty; and never on any occasion was he known to betray his constituents or to vote against his party. By all who knew him politically he was acknowledged to be one of the best democrats in the city, the friend of labor and of the poor, the champion of the weak, the advocate of justice, rectitude and straightforward dealing. Having been through life a man of exemplary character, of noble instincts, sound judgment, unassuming manners and genial disposition, his death is a loss not only to his bereaved family and his ward but to the entire community.

THERE IS something defective in the engineering that allows a dam to be built without making all necessary provisions against floods. It was supposed that the Johnstown catastrophe would cause all danger of this character to be removed but strange to say a dam at Williamsport not far from Johnstown has burst but with less appalling results. The people were warned of the danger and had betaken themselves to safe ground before the dam gave way. Had the break occurred at night the result might have been a repetition of the Johnstown deluge.

GET READY for the report of the investigating committee. It will not be unanimous. Mr. O'Connell and Mr. Tryder will probably make a minority report pronouncing Mr Noble guilty of the charges preferred if nothing more. It will be remembered that the committee were not sworn as jurymen but this makes but little difference perhaps inasmuch as the testimony was not sworn to and it is just as well that it wasn't.

Some innocent person asks: Do the corporations or the people own the legislature? The corporations, of course.—Boston Republic.

There has not been much legislation opposed to large corporations this year. This has not been the fault of the house so much as the senate which seems to be owned with the exception of a few democrats by the corporations. Massachusetts has undoubtedly a corporation senate.

THE BOARD of arbitration should have the strike of the ingrain weavers in the Lowell Manufacturing company, settled at once. The strikers have done nothing to bring about a settlement although idle now for several weeks.

CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

A Laugh In Church.

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There was a titter in the congregation which neither the minister nor Mr. Stephens understood. Pastor Johnson, who was on the platform, turned several shades of red, and when he exclaimed: "He doesn't mean you, Brother Stephens. He doesn't mean you," the suppressed titter broke out into a laugh. There was not much solemnity about the conclusion of the service that evening.—Jefferson City (Mo.) Tribune.

Too Much.

Elder Sister—Come, Stanley, take your powder like a little man. You never hear me making any complaint about such a little thing as that.

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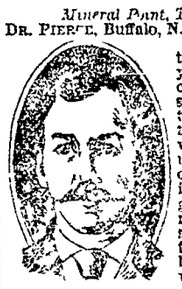

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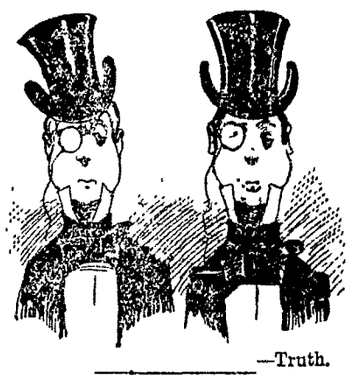

—Truth.

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"It's taking that painter out there in the kitchen the whole day to paint the woodwork," snapped Mrs. Chugwater, "and he could do it easily in two hours. That's what comes of having a handsome young chit of a girl for a cook!"

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"I am lucky in being sick here in New York instead of being laid up in Texas."

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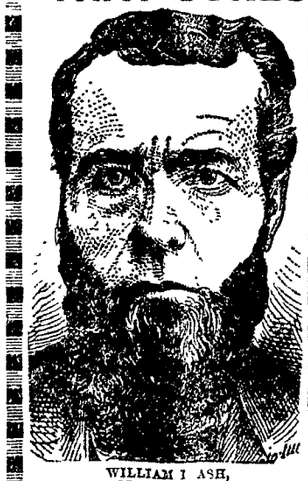

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FALL RIVER is trying to reconcile herself to her police commission.

THE GOVERNOR and his council are not of one mind on various matters.

HAVERHILL is now having her innings on license deals. Lowell may have her turn next.

THE CENTRAL LABOR union is becoming very aggressive in tone and rightly so. Otherwise it will never get anything.

THE ALDERMEN had better not stand out against voting for the sewer loan. It may prove a political whirlpool for some.

THE COMMITTEE that went to Philadelphia to investigate a cremator should have something good to recommend to the city council.

IT IS a notable fact that Mgr. Satolli visited the Waterbury high school and made an eloquent address which pleased everybody.

THE UNEMPLOYED of the city demand prompt attention from the city council. The sewer appropriation should be made tomorrow night.

"PANIS ET CIRCENSES," bread and circuses was the cry of the ancient Romans; but the people of this city cry "more sewers, more work."

THE MAYOR of Woburn is assailed for refusing to sign certain licenses. After all the mayor of a city can exercise some discretion in the matter of signing licenses.

ANY DELAY upon the construction of the Centralville sewer will entail loss to the city. The stakes are now set and the sewer so far as excavated is almost filled with water.

THE REFERENDUM does not go down with the corporations and the aristocrats. The kind of referendum the legislature is preparing to give will not go down with the people.

SENATOR MILLS is peculiarly happy in calling some men by their proper names. He has dubbed our own Senator Hoar "the pharisee from Massachusetts" which is an apt appellation.

Pawtucket is the last place to be devastated by fire. Too bad!—Haverhill Gazette.

Does the Gazette long to see some other city visited by a conflagration?

WHY SHOULD the state furnish rapid transit for Boston? Lowell is ready to accept a bounty for providing more rapid transit than she has at present without at all complaining of the street railroad.

THAT PLACE upon the commission for the unemployed is yet unfilled. Carey was rejected by the executive council. It seems at present there is a disposition to delay the matter until nothing of importance can be done. Is the governor a party to any such subterfuge? We think not.

THE Massachusetts High school battalion will have its annual competitive drill in Reading on May 20th. This is an annual event which causes the boys to give too much attention to drill and too little to their studies. It is generally conceded that the boys would be better not to have such a drill.

COXEY sentenced to jail with many of his followers! The courts seem to stand unawed by the great general whose expedition was almost as unsuccessful as that of Napoleon when he marched to Moscow and found the city in ashes. The next problem for Coxey to solve is how to get his army home. The march outward was bad enough but the return will be worse.

THE REPUBLICANS in congress are wrangling among themselves. Some want to defeat the bill if possible, others, the patriotic contingent, want to help the democrats in reaching a conclusion of some kind in order that the country may suffer no longer from the evil effects of suspense on tariff matters. But the bill will pass despite their opposition.

COUNCILMAN BENSON DEAD.

The friends of William T. Benson, and they are numerous throughout the city, sustained a severe shock yesterday afternoon on hearing of his sudden and unexpected death.

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THERE IS something defective in the engineering that allows a dam to be built without making all necessary provisions against floods. It was supposed that the Johnstown catastrophe would cause all danger of this character to be removed but strange to say a dam at Williamsport not far from Johnstown has burst but with less appalling results. The people were warned of the danger and had betaken themselves to safe ground before the dam gave way. Had the break occurred at night the result might have been a repetition of the Johnstown deluge.

GET READY for the report of the investigating committee. It will not be unanimous. Mr. O'Connell and Mr. Trydur will probably make a minority report pronouncing Mr. Noble guilty of the charges preferred if nothing more. It will be remembered that the committee were not sworn as jurymen but this makes but little difference perhaps inasmuch as the testimony was not sworn to and it is just as well that it wasn't.

Some innocent person asks: Do the corporations or the people own the legislature? The corporations, of course.—Boston Republic.

There has not been much legislation opposed to large corporations this year. This has not been the fault of the house so much as the senate which seems to be owned with the exception of a few democrats by the corporations. Massachusetts has undoubtedly a corporation senate.

THE BOARD of arbitration should have the strike of the ingrain weavers in the Lowell Manufacturing company, settled at once. The strikers have done nothing to bring about a settlement although idle now for several weeks.

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"And even the rich man hearkened unto the voice of the Lord."

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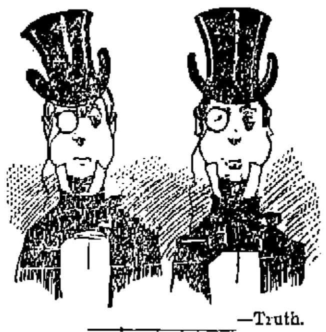
Too Much.

Elder Sister—Come, Stanley, take your powder like a little man. You never hear me making any complaint about such a little thing as that.

Stanley (peevishly)—Neither would I if I could daub it on my face. It is swallerin it that I object to.—Brooklyn Life.

SUNBEAMS.

Dullness In Stocks.



—Truth.

As a Measure of Economy.

"It's taking that painter out there in the kitchen the whole day to paint the woodwork," snapped Mrs. Chugwater, "and he could do it easily in two hours. That's what comes of having a handsome young chit of a girl for a cook!"

"I believe you are right, my dear," said Mr. Chugwater soothingly. "Perhaps it would hurry him up a little if you would—h'm—go out there awhile."—Chicago Tribune.

Good Reason Too.

Mr. Charles A. Davis is a theatrical man who stutters, and sometimes he stutters very badly. He has been lying off for a season. The other day a friend incidentally inquired why he was going back to work again.

"Why, I w-w-w-went back to w-w-w-work because it w-w-w-was s-s— much trouble to ex-p-p-plain w-w-w-why I wasn't w-w-w-working."—New York Herald.

A Brilliant Talker.

"How do you like your new neighbor, Mr. Snook?"

"He's a most charming man and a magnificent conversationalist. Why, last evening he listened to me explaining my evolution theories for two hours and never chipped in a word."—Exchange.

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He was in bed three or four days at his hotel, and when the bill was presented he took a piece of paper and a pencil and figured out how much more he had to pay in New York than he would have had to pay in Texas for the same amount of indisposition. Having got through his calculation, he folded his hands resignedly and said:

"I am lucky in being sick here in New York instead of being laid up in Texas."

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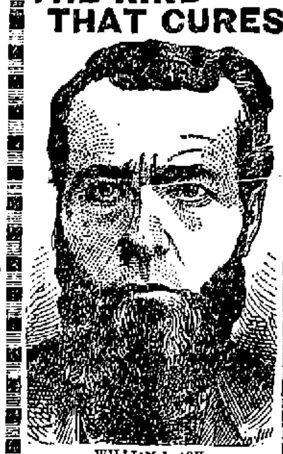

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THE CROPS

Good Prospects from New England States.

FROST HAS CAUSED DAMAGE TO SOME CROPS.

The Fruit Crop Accounted Good and Prospects for Fall Encouraging.

BOSTON, May 22.—The New England weather service, United States weather bureau, issues the following weather-crop bulletin for the week ending May 21, 1894.

All the first part of the past week was cold, dry and windy, with frequent frosts. At West Milan, N. H., the temperature fell to 27° on the morning of the 15th, and to 28° on the mornings of the 16th and 17th: on the latter date ground froze here in many places. At Northfield, Vt., the temperature fell to 33° on the 15th, 34° on the 16th and 30° on the 17th. Ice formed at Holden, Me. These are extreme cases, however, and generally while frosts were experienced on lowlands, the higher ground escaped injury. For the week, as a whole, the temperature at Boston averaged nearly 3° a day below the normal. It was very close to the normal at New London, Conn.

Copious rains have fallen throughout New England since the 18th, and strong, cold easterly winds have prevailed. In northern and eastern Maine the rainfall has been from one-fourth to one-half an inch, and in south central and southern Maine from one to two inches. Slightly more than one-fourth of an inch fell in northern New Hampshire and Vermont, and over three-fourths of an inch in the central and southern parts of those states. From three-fourths of an inch to nearly one and one-fourth inches have fallen in northeastern Massachusetts, while 1.46 inches fell at Hyannis on Cape Cod and only 0.20 inches at Nantucket. Half an inch fell at Block Island, R. I., and three-fourths of an inch at Kingston, on the adjoining mainland. At New London the fall was 0.61 inch; at Greenfield Hill, in the southwestern part of the state, it was 1.33 inches; at West Simsbury, in the northwestern part, the fall reached 2.96 inches, and at South Manchester, across the Connecticut river from the last named place, it was 2.24 inches. At West Simsbury the rainfall on the 19th and 20th was more than for the previous six weeks.

Maine.

The correspondents from Maine report favorable weather for team work, and much has been done, but the wind has hindered seed sowing, and the pastures and newly seeded pieces have felt its drying influence very much. Potatoes and other vegetables were slightly nipped by frost, but no damage has been reported to fruit. One advantage from the dry weather is in enabling work to be done on naturally wet land that could not be touched in average seasons. Fruit is in blossom, except in the extreme north, and is very promising.

New Hampshire.

In all the central and southern parts of New Hampshire much damage is reported from the frosts on lowlands. Beside injuring very much all early plants that were above ground, clover was damaged, and in places fruit blossoms and leaves frozen. It is thought by some that apples and blueberries are damaged quite a good deal, though others think there will be plenty on the trees that will mature. Pastures are reported very backward and poor. The correspondent at Grafton reports that unless the weather is very favorable in June, the hay crop will be light. Much planting remains to be done in this state, though the work has been pushed rapidly.

Vermont.

All growth was very slow in Vermont until the last of the week. The correspondent at Burlington reports that some damage was done by frosts to strawberries and early vegetables in South Burlington, "some fields being entirely wiped out." At South Randolph the frost killed the grape vines and leaves. A few of the apple blossoms were turned brown, but it is not possible to tell yet whether material damage has been done to fruit or not. Many potatoes and some corn have been planted.

Massachusetts.

In Massachusetts, correspondents report that just before this rain some grass fields did not look so well as a week ago; the stalks were spindling up very thin and had begun to head out. Where this is the case, it is thought that the rain will help but little, though generally it will thicken up and be much improved. Many garden seeds failed to germinate, and all crops were growing slowly. Quite a good deal of damage was done by the frost in the eastern and southern counties. In eastern Massachusetts blackberries have set heavily and are nearly ready to blossom. Tent caterpillars are not at all plenty, but canker worms are very thick and doing damage. They are reported from West Acton, Leominster and Concord.

Rhode Island.

In Rhode Island little damage to fruits is feared by the frost, but early vegetables suffered slightly. The correspondent at Kingston reports that ice formed to the thickness of a window pane. Planting has not been yet completed, though very much has been put in. The fruit prospects continue good.

Connecticut.

There was some damage to strawberries and vegetables on lowlands in Connecticut, but as far as reported fruit was not injured. The wind and rain have lodged the rye badly in central districts, and it is feared that the high cold wind along the coast will blast much fruit.

The correspondent at Milford states that one orchardist reports his set of pears mostly on the ground, as the wind has whipped the trees badly. Peas are in blossom in the southern counties; potatoes have been hoed; corn is growing fast.

In the West and South.

For the week ending May 14, warm and dry weather prevailed over the entire eastern part of the country, except in the southern cotton belt, where rain was abundant. Light frosts were felt over most of the northern states, but no great damage was done. In North Carolina tobacco transplanting had been delayed by drought; the plants were scarce and the acreage small. In Missouri and West Virginia there was much complaint of fruit dropping. Fruit prospects were reported excellent in Nebraska and Colorado. Acreage of potatoes largely in excess of other years in Michigan and Wisconsin. Hay harvest was in progress in Arizona with heavy yield.

Will Be Great Slaughter.

BUENOS AYRES, May 22.—The government troops in Rio Grande do Sul number 20,000 men. The rebel forces under General Saraiva are not half so numerous, but it is expected that they will make a determined resistance and that there will be much fighting before they are conquered.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

California wheat is in bad condition.

Cold weather and snow prevail in England.

Democrats, including Hill, are likely to vote for the tariff bill.

The Portuguese-Argentine incident is to be settled amicably.

One and one-half million dollars gold was exported from New York today.

The Italian chamber of deputies adopted the war budget by a vote of 229 to 98.

Vincenzo Cochidi is on trial at Boston for the murder of Pasquale Sacco on Jan. 7 last.

John Dillon says Irish opposition to Rosebery means the return to power of the Tories.

Mrs. Henry B. Rogers, who gave the beautiful town hall to Fairhaven, Mass., died in New York.

Twenty-five lasters in Brett's factory, Hudson, Mass., struck over a disagreement concerning lasting machines.

Israel Presconset, whose back and neck were broken by being dragged over the shafting of a sausage factory, died at Providence.

The striking girl operatives at the Newton mills, Newton Upper Falls, Mass., decline to resume work on a full-time schedule.

Raymond Masson, formerly a student, of the Massachusetts Normal Art school, has a piece of sculpture accepted for the Paris salon.

IN CONGRESS.

Senate Talks on Iron Ore—The Docking Question In the House.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The senate held an eight-hour session in debating the proposed senate duty of 40 cents a ton on iron ore. The house bill placed iron ore on the free list, and the Republicans took occasion to taunt the Democrats with inconsistency and with being false to their pledges to give the country free raw materials when they obtained control of the government. Some very sharp encounters occurred. The effort to have iron ore placed on the free list was voted down.

The early part of the proceedings in the house was devoted to a legal discussion concerning an amendment declaring that the statute which directs the sergeant-at-arms to make deductions from the salaries of members on account of absence had been repealed. The chairman ruled the amendment out of order, but was in turn overruled by the house on an appeal. The amendment was then adopted. The Democrats declared that a separate yea and nay vote on the amendment would be demanded in the house later.

Paul J. Sorg, recently elected to succeed the late Representative Houk of Ohio, was sworn in.

Attacked by a Lion.

BOSTON, May 22.—Death in a lion's jaws came near being the finale of Heinrich Mehrmann's act last night. Two thousand pairs of horrified eyes saw him knocked prostrate on the Columbia theater stage; 2000 voices rose in cries of terror as his blood splashed in the sawdust. The lion tamer seemed very near his end. But two dauntless masters of the savage beasts, William Judge and Fritz Mans, came speedily to his assistance. With blood flowing from many deep and ragged wounds, Mehrmann staggered from the ring, with a smile on his face, as he retreated from the wild and joyful applause of the audience. And the lion—cowed, trembling, he sneaked to his cage before the whip of the man whom he could hate but not conquer.

Republicans Fled.

PROVIDENCE, May 22.—A remarkable session of the house of representatives was held yesterday. At 11 o'clock all members present were locked in and writs were issued for absent members and placed in the hands of a sheriff. It was 3:15 before a quorum was secured, when Wheaton Cole was expelled from his seat in the house and Claude J. Farnsworth was substituted as second representative from Pawtucket. At 4:15 Mr. Farnsworth was sworn in. Only four Republicans were present during the session, the others having disappeared from the city to prevent being arrested.

A Rap at Breckinridge.

NASHVILLE, May 22.—At the general assembly of the southern Presbyterian church a resolution was offered yesterday which, while not referring to the Breckinridge case especially, stated that the assembly reaffirmed that "sins against the seventh commandment cannot be tolerated in our members." A motion to lay the resolution on the table was defeated and the resolution was then referred.

Russian Conspirators Bagged.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 22.—A clandestine press, from which large numbers of revolutionary pamphlets have been issued, has been discovered at Smolensk. From statements made by the conspirators, the police are convinced that they have made prisoners of seven people who are connected with a widespread conspiracy.

Strike Is Ended.

BROOKLYN, May 22.—The motormen and conductors who struck yesterday delegated two aldermen to interview President Morton, who finally conceded the men until July 1 to produce new uniforms. The company will not insist upon the men advancing any money for them. The men have returned to work.

Held In $5000 Bail.

HOPKINTON, Mass., May 22.—John P. Kelly and Thomas F. Kelly were arraigned before Judge Hemenway on a charge of assault with attempt to kill and murder James Rafferty. They waived examination and were held in $5000, in default of which they were taken to the Cambridge jail.

Archdeacon Brooks.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 22.—Rev. J. C. Brooks, brother of the late Bishop Brooks and rector of Christ church in this city, was yesterday elected to the archdeaconry, recently established. Bishop Lawrence presided over the gathering.

In Memory of Bishop Payne.

BALTIMORE, May 22.—A monument to the memory of Daniel A. Payne of the African Methodist church was unveiled in Laurel cemetery yesterday. The money for the monument was raised by popular subscription.

HAWAII

The Constitution Soon to Go Into Effect.

OUTLINE OF THE DOCUMENT AS DRAFTED.

The Japanese Government is Directly Interested.

HONOLULU, May 15, via San Francisco, May 22.—The constitution convention, the members of which were elected on May 3, will meet on May 30. The new constitution will be presented to the convention for its approval.

The new government is to be called the Republic of Hawaii. The executive power will be vested in the president. The executive council will consist of five members, instead of four as at present, a minister of health and education being added. The upper house will consist of 15 senators. Senators must be 30 years old, able to read and write English, shall have resided in the islands three years, own property not less than $5000 in value and have an income of $1200 a year.

The assembly or lower house is to consist of 15 members, six from Oahu and three each from the other islands. They will serve two years only. A member of the assembly must be a citizen of Hawaii or of any country which has treaty relations with Hawaii, and have resided in the islands for a year, able to read and write the English or Hawaiian language, except in case of those who voted in the recent election.

Present Administration Acceptable.

Meetings of the legislature are to be held every two years. Each session is limited to 90 days and neither house can adjourn more than two days without the consent of the other. The president will have the power of veto, which can be overruled by a two-thirds vote of both houses. It is the present intention to have President Dole reappointed for a term of two years, possibly six, after which the offices will be filled by regular elections. It is more likely that the present ministers will be retained for a year, as their appointment rests with the president.

The new constitution can be amended or revised in the ordinary way, but it is expressly stipulated that amendments containing a proposition for the establishment of a monarchial form of government shall not be presented. Members of both houses are to receive $400 for each session. About 3750 votes were cast at the recent election. There was very little opposition on any of the islands.

The claim is now made that when the republic is declared, the natives will make the looked-for uprising. Royalist leaders say they are only restrained by the expressed wish of the ex-queen, who still has great faith in the United States. The report that the Ranger was coming here has again put hopes of speedy restoration in the royalist hearts.

Where Japan Comes In.

The steamer Gaelic arrived here from Japan with R. W. Irwin, the Hawaiian minister resident at Tokio, on board. It is supposed he has brought certain messages from the Japan government in regard to the matter of granting the franchise to the subjects of the mikado in Hawaii. It is expected that, in the event of a franchise being refused to the Japanese, their government intends to cut off treaty relations with Hawaii and to recall all Japanese in the islands.

If this is so, it will be a serious thing for the planters, as the present number of contract laborers is largely made up of Japanese, and it would be next to impossible to replace them in less than a year. Mr. Irwin is reticent on the subject, but it is known that he was the bearer of some dispatches to the government, and a special meeting of the council was held yesterday to discuss the matter.

As Viewed by the Engineers.

ST. PAUL, May 22.—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers adopted a resolution in regard to the bill before the senate to prevent interference with mail trains, declaring that it was a pernicious bill, "the purpose of which is to prevent organizations from securing by the only fair means in their power redress for their grievances and just compensation for their services."

The Armor Plate Frauds.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The proposed congressional investigation of the Carnegie armor plate frauds was reported favorably today by Representative Outhwaite of the house rules committee. The projectors of the investigation expect to have it under way the latter part of the week.

Concerning Wool.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—It is understood that Attorney General Olney has rendered an opinion in which he holds that the statutes allowing the re-warehousing of wool apply only to original importations and do not apply to re-importations after the wool has once been exported.

Maine Schooner Stranded.

MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., May 22.—The three-masted schooner A. F. Crockett of Rockland, Me., with a crew of six men, was stranded on the Jersey coast at Harvey island. The crew took to the rigging and were rescued by a volunteer crew of lifesavers.

Will Prove a Boomerang.

BERLIN, May 22.—The news of the Servian coup has made but a small impression here. All the papers declare that it will damage King Alexander's dynasty more than his country.

An Invite From Irving.

LONDON, May 22.—Henry Irving has invited Admiral Erben and the officers of the United States cruiser Chicago to attend a performance at the Lyceum theater.

Miss Marlowe to Wed.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The Herald's Washington correspondent gives an interview with Julia Marlowe, in which she says she is to marry Robert Taber, her former leading man, in New York, about two weeks hence.

WATERS ARE FALLING.

LOSSES BY FLOODS WILL REACH $1,500,000.

The Empire State Suffers Very Severely—Much Stock Drowned and Crops are Ruined.

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—Advices from the flooded districts indicate that the storm has spent its force and that the waters have begun to fall in those localities where the danger has seemed greatest. Other places farther down the swollen streams are threatened, but the worst is probably known.

The loss to property is terrible, and cannot even be approximated until the waters recede and accounts are cast up. The gas and electric light plants are under water and the city is without light.

Dispatches from Williamsport say that the flood reached its maximum height at 7 o'clock last night, when it was 35 feet above low water mark on the river register, and was eight feet deep on the pavement of the courthouse in the center of the city. The moment was an anxious one, and another foot meant still greater destruction. Already the waves were lapping the windowsills of the second stories of hundreds of houses. Will it go higher? Eager watchers scanned the register, trembling with mingled hope and fear.

The 35-foot mark proved an insurmountable barrier. For an hour the water hung at that point, and then, to the intense relief of thousands of anxious hearts, it began slowly to recede.

A 9 o'clock it had fallen a foot and was still going down, slowly to be sure, but surely enough to lift a terrible load from a multitude of hearts. All now feel that the worst has come and gone. The river has made a new record, 35 feet above low water. A million and a half in property has been destroyed, but so far as can be learned no lives have been lost. To give the losses in detail will be impossible. It cannot even be approximated, and the estimate of $1,500,000 is a conservative one.

NEW YORK'S DELUGE.

Bridges Wrecked, Live Stock Drowned and Crops Ruined.

BUFFALO, May 22.—Four days' continuous rain leaves this section of the state in a badly flooded condition, and creeks emptying into rivers have overflowed their banks and done an untold amount of damage.

Gill creek has flooded the entire Echola district, a suburb of Niagara Falls. Streets are under water and cellars are full. Residents are moving about on rafts.

Muddy Run creek on the Canadian side was a raging torrent and weakened and carried away parts of bridges. There were several landslides, but no severe damage.

At Leroy the Oataka creek has overflowed its banks and reached the highest point ever known. Cellars and low lying residences are flooded. The creek is a furious torrent and it is possible that one or two milldams will be carried away. Trees, fences, dead cattle and other stock are passing down the creek. Farmers report many sheep drowned and crops ruined.

At Batavia the Tonawanda creek has overflowed its banks, doing considerable damage. On West Main street houses and small barns have been carried away, and the crops in gardens ruined.

At Lockport it has been raining almost incessantly since Thursday. Eighteen Mile creek, on which the factories are located, is very high. Lowlands in the valley north of the city are submerged, and crops have suffered severely.

At Medina Oak Orchard creek has nearly reached high water mark, and is rapidly rising. Crops on the lowlands are entirely submerged and ruined.

The rain continues to descend at Bath, and the Cohocton river is rapidly rising and will soon overflow its banks in the village near the Soldiers' Home. Traffic is blocked, the water being five feet deep on the highways.

Olean once more is an island and East Olean is a miniature Venice. The Allegany has been sweeping everything before it. In the streets of Portville the water is four or five feet deep. Not as much damage will be done as in 1889, perhaps, because the mills have been able this time to hold their logs, which got away from them in the other flood, and smashed houses and swept buildings from their foundations.

The Raging Mississippi.

ST. PAUL, May 22.—The Mississippi river is still rising rapidly. The district below the high bridge has grown into a veritable lake. A few outhouses on the flat it is impossible to reach at all. In many houses the kitchens are a foot deep with water. Over on the west side the condition of affairs is not quite so disastrous, the land being higher. There is little danger of a further rise unless there comes another heavy rain.

Panic Reigns at Lewisburg.

LEWISBURG, Pa., May 22.—The whole Susquehanna valley is inundated and the destruction and destitution is widespread. Lockhaven and Milton are in great distress, being under five feet of water. The waterworks, gasworks and electric light plant here have been stopped, and, until the flood recedes, the town will be without light or water. A number of bridges have been carried away and there have been extensive washouts. Hundreds of families are homeless and destitute of provisions. Millions of feet of logs and cut lumber and buildings of every description have swept past here. Business has been suspended and the streets are filled with an anxious and excited throng.

Bridge Holds Them.

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—Six three-masted schooners and a canal boat were carried from their moorings in the Schuylkill river by the flood, and lie jammed against South street bridge. The Mary Lord, one of the schooners, is sunk in mid-channel; the others are more or less damaged, and their weight threatens to carry away the bridge at any minute.

Danger Has Passed.

BRADFORD, Pa., May 22.—The flood has subsided here and the heavy downfall of rain has ceased. All danger is probably over. Property loss thus far on account of the flood in this city, $25,000.

Bullet Hole In His Lip.

AUGUSTA, Me., May 22.—Augustus Sawyer, residing in Monmouth, was found dead in a stall of his barn, covered with hay, yesterday afternoon. Sawyer was 70 years old and a bachelor. He is supposed to have had money in his house. Foul play is feared, as there was a bullet hole in the dead man's upper lip.

John L.'s Benefit.

BOSTON, May 22.—John L. Sullivan was given a testimonial benefit last night at the Casino, and 3000 people paid anywhere from $1 to $5 to see him spar. Sullivan made his appearance in the final bout of the evening with the veteran Paddy Ryan. The show itself was only fair.

Jugular Vein Was Severed.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 22.—Medical Examiner Swan held an autopsy on the body of Mrs. Ellen Wilson, who was murdered by her insane husband. He says death must have resulted within two minutes after the assault, as the razor severed the jugular vein.

Eminent Counsel Engaged.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The trial of Erastus Wiman for appropriating the funds of R. G. Dun & Co. has been set down for May 28. Wiman will be defended by ex-Secretary of the Navy Tracy and James N. Greenshields, queen's counsellor of Montreal.

Money For Greek Sufferers.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The appeal for contributions to relieve the great distress in Greece, caused by the recent earthquakes, has enabled the editors of The Atlantis to send $500 to the United States minister at Athens.

Friends Helped Them Out.

PROVIDENCE, May 22.—Harry Hallen and Eva Harland, charged with shoplifting goods from two Providence jewelry firms, admitted their guilt, and their fines, amounting to more than $100, were paid by friends.

A Big Discount.

BOSTON, May 22.—The famous yacht Puritan was sold under the hammer yesterday to Charles A. Welch, Jr., for $4700. The Puritan cost more than $23,000 to build. General Paine bought her at auction for $13,500, and yesterday the first bid on her was $3000.

Vasquez Was at New York.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The Press says ex-President Vasquez of Honduras has been in this city for the last three weeks and has been stopping at the Metropolitan hotel. He is traveling incognito. Learning that his identity had been discovered he has left the city.

The Price of a Vote.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The special committee appointed to investigate the charges of bribery met yesterday. Senator Kyle testified that Mr. Butz had offered him money for his vote, saying that he could have $75,000, and made an offer of $14,000 down.

Their Arrest Uncalled For.

MAYENCE, May 22.—The two Frenchmen who were arrested here for making sketches of the forts have been released. They proved that they were tourists, and had no sinister motive in making sketches.

Egyptian Porters on Strike.

PORT SAID, May 22.—Two thousand porters employed on the wharves here struck yesterday. The strikers made several desperate attacks upon the men who remained at work.

Officials Disagree.

HAVERHILL, Mass., May 22.—W. A. Mowry, superintendent of public schools, has resigned. He states that he finds it impossible to conduct the schools as they should be conducted in harmony with the school board. His resignation was accepted.

The Columbia Is Safe.

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—The United States cruiser Columbia, for the safety of which some uneasiness has been felt, is reported at anchor off Bombay Hook, opposite Chester.

A Fatal Snake Bite.

WINSTED, Conn., May 22.—Michael Buckley of Rivington is dying from a snake bite received last Saturday when he was attacked by a 10-foot black snake.

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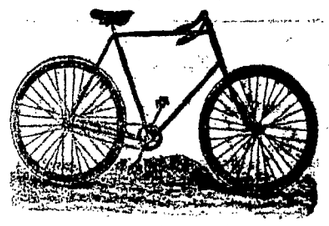
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THE CROPS

Good Prospects from New England States.

FROST HAS CAUSED DAMAGE TO SOME CROPS.

The Fruit Crop Accounted Good and Prospects for Fall Encouraging.

BOSTON, May 22.—The New England weather service, United States weather bureau, issues the following weather-crop bulletin for the week ending May 21, 1894.

All the first part of the past week was cold, dry and windy, with frequent frosts. At West Milan, N. H., the temperature fell to 27° on the morning of the 15th, and to 28° on the mornings of the 16th and 17th; on the latter date ground froze here in many places. At Northfield, Vt., the temperature fell to 33° on the 15th, 34° on the 16th and 30° on the 17th. Ice formed at Holden, Me. These are extreme cases, however, and generally while frosts were experienced on lowlands, the higher ground escaped injury. For the week, as a whole, the temperature at Boston averaged nearly 3° a day below the normal. It was very close to the normal at New London, Conn.

Copious rains have fallen throughout New England since the 18th, and strong, cold easterly winds have prevailed. In northern and eastern Maine the rainfall has been from one-fourth to one-half an inch, and in south central and southern Maine from one to two inches. Slightly more than one-fourth of an inch fell in northern New Hampshire and Vermont, and over three-fourths of an inch in the central and southern parts of those states. From three-fourths of an inch to nearly one and one-fourth inches have fallen in northeastern Massachusetts, while 1.46 inches fell at Hyannis on Cape Cod and only 0.20 inches at Nantucket. Half an inch fell at Block Island, R. I., and three-fourths of an inch at Kingston, on the adjoining mainland. At New London the fall was 0.61 inch; at Greenfield Hill, in the southwestern part of the state, it was 1.33 inches; at West Simsbury, in the northwestern part, the fall reached 2.96 inches, and at South Manchester, across the Connecticut river from the last named place, it was 2.24 inches. At West Simsbury the rainfall on the 19th and 20th was more than for the previous six weeks.

Maine.

The correspondents from Maine report favorable weather for team work, and much has been done, but the wind has hindered seed sowing, and the pastures and newly seeded pieces have felt its drying influence very much. Potatoes and other vegetables were slightly nipped by frost, but no damage has been reported to fruit. One advantage from the dry weather is in enabling work to be done on naturally wet land that could not be touched in average seasons. Fruit is in blossom, except in the extreme north, and is very promising.

New Hampshire.

In all the central and southern parts of New Hampshire much damage is reported from the frosts on lowlands. Beside injuring very much all early plants that were above ground, clover was damaged, and in places fruit blossoms and leaves frozen. It is thought by some that apples and blueberries are damaged quite a good deal, though others think there will be plenty on the trees that will mature. Pastures are reported very backward and poor. The correspondent at Grafton reports that unless the weather is very favorable in June, the hay crop will be light. Much planting remains to be done in this state, though the work has been pushed rapidly.

Vermont.

All growth was very slow in Vermont until the last of the week. The correspondent at Burlington reports that some damage was done by frosts to strawberries and early vegetables in South Burlington, "some fields being entirely wiped out." At South Randolph the frost killed the grape vines and leaves. A few of the apple blossoms were turned brown, but it is not possible to tell yet whether material damage has been done to fruit or not. Many potatoes and some corn have been planted.

Massachusetts.

In Massachusetts, correspondents report that just before this rain some grass fields did not look so well as a week ago; the stalks were spindling up very thin and had begun to head out. Where this is the case, it is thought that the rain will help but little, though generally it will thicken up and be much improved. Many garden seeds failed to germinate, and all crops were growing slowly. Quite a good deal of damage was done by the frost in the eastern and southern counties. In eastern Massachusetts blackberries have set heavily and are nearly ready to blossom. Tent caterpillars are not at all plenty, but canker worms are very thick and doing damage. They are reported from West Acton, Leominster and Concord.

Rhode Island.

In Rhode Island little damage to fruits is feared by the frost, but early vegetables suffered slightly. The correspondent at Kingston reports that ice formed to the thickness of a window pane. Planting has not been yet completed, though very much has been put in. The fruit prospects continue good.

Connecticut.

There was some damage to strawberries and vegetables on lowlands in Connecticut, but as far as reported fruit was not injured. The wind and rain have lodged the rye badly in central districts, and it is feared that the high cold wind along the coast will blast much fruit.

The correspondent at Milford states that one orchardist reports his set of pears mostly on the ground, as the wind has whipped the trees badly. Peas are in blossom in the southern counties; potatoes have been hoed; corn is growing fast.

In the West and South.

For the week ending May 14, warm and dry weather prevailed over the entire eastern part of the country, except in the southern cotton belt, where rain was abundant. Light frosts were felt over most of the northern states, but no great damage was done. In North Carolina tobacco transplanting had been delayed by drought; the plants were scarce and the acreage small. In Missouri and West Virginia there was much complaint of fruit dropping. Fruit prospects were reported excellent in Nebraska and Colorado. Acreage of potatoes largely in excess of other years in Michigan and Wisconsin. Hay harvest was in progress in Arizona with heavy yield.

Will Be Great Slaughter.

BUENOS AYRES, May 22.—The government troops in Rio Grande do Sul number 20,000 men. The rebel forces under General Saraiva are not half so numerous, but it is expected that they will make a determined resistance and that there will be much fighting before they are conquered.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

California wheat is in bad condition.

Cold weather and snow prevail in England.

Democrats, including Hill, are likely to vote for the tariff bill.

The Portuguese-Argentine incident is to be settled amicably.

One and one-half million dollars gold was exported from New York today.

The Italian chamber of deputies adopted the war budget by a vote of 239 to 93.

Vincenzo Cocbidi is on trial at Boston for the murder of Pasquale Sacco on Jan. 7 last.

John Dillon says Irish opposition to Rosebery means the return to power of the Tories.

Mrs. Henry B. Rogers, who gave the beautiful town hall to Fairhaven, Mass., died in New York.

Twenty-five lasters in Brett's factory, Hudson, Mass., struck over a disagreement concerning lasting machines.

Israel Presconset, whose back and neck were broken by being dragged over the shafting of a sausage factory, died at Providence.

The striking girl operatives at the Newton mills, Newton Upper Falls, Mass., decline to resume work on a full-time schedule.

Raymond Masson, formerly a student, of the Massachusetts Normal Art school, has a piece of sculpture accepted for the Paris salon.

IN CONGRESS.

Senate Talks on Iron Ore—The Docking Question In the House.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The senate held an eight-hour session in debating the proposed senate duty of 40 cents a ton on iron ore. The house bill placed iron ore on the free list, and the Republicans took occasion to taunt the Democrats with inconsistency and with being false to their pledges to give the country free raw materials when they obtained control of the government. Some very sharp encounters occurred. The effort to have iron ore placed on the free list was voted down.

The early part of the proceedings in the house was devoted to a legal discussion concerning an amendment declaring that the statute which directs the sergeant-at-arms to make deductions from the salaries of members on account of absence had been repealed. The chairman ruled the amendment out of order, but was in turn overruled by the house on an appeal. The amendment was then adopted. The Democrats declared that a separate yea and nay vote on the amendment would be demanded in the house later.

Paul J. Sorg, recently elected to succeed the late Representative Houk of Ohio, was sworn in.

Attacked by a Lion.

BOSTON, May 22.—Death in a lion's jaws came near being the finale of Heinrich Mehrmann's act last night. Two thousand pairs of horrified eyes saw him knocked prostrate on the Columbia theater stage; 2000 voices rose in cries of terror as his blood splashed in the sawdust. The lion tamer seemed very near his end. But two dauntless masters of the savage beasts, William Judge and Fritz Maas, came speedily to his assistance. With blood flowing from many deep and ragged wounds, Mehrmann staggered from the ring, with a smile on his face, as he retreated from the wild and joyful applause of the audience. And the lion—cowed, trembling, he sneaked to his cage before the whip of the man whom he could hate but not conquer.

Republicans Fled.

PROVIDENCE, May 22.—A remarkable session of the house of representatives was held yesterday. At 11 o'clock all members present were locked in and writs were issued for absent members and placed in the hands of a sheriff. It was 2:15 before a quorum was secured, when Wheaton Cole was expelled from his seat in the house and Claude J. Farnsworth was substituted as second representative from Pawtucket. At 4:15 Mr. Farnsworth was sworn in. Only four Republicans were present during the session, the others having disappeared from the city to prevent being arrested.

A Rap at Breckinridge.

NASHVILLE, May 22.—At the general assembly of the southern Presbyterian church a resolution was offered yesterday which, while not referring to the Breckinridge case especially, stated that the assembly reaffirmed that "sins against the seventh commandment cannot be tolerented in our members." A motion to lay the resolution on the table was defeated and the resolution was then referred.

Russian Conspirators Bagged.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 22.—A clandestine press, from which large numbers of revolutionary pamphlets have been issued, has been discovered at Smolensk. From statements made by the conspirators, the police are convinced that they have made prisoners of seven people who are connected with a widespread conspiracy.

Strike Is Ended.

BROOKLYN, May 22.—The motormen and conductors who struck yesterday delegated two aldermen to interview President Morton, who finally conceded the men until July 1 to produce new uniforms. The company will not insist upon the men advancing any money for them. The men have returned to work.

Held In $5000 Bail.

HOPKINTON, Mass., May 22.—John P. Kelly and Thomas F. Kelly were arraigned before Judge Hemenway on a charge of assault with attempt to kill and murder James Rafferty. They waived examination and were held in $5000, in default of which they were taken to the Cambridge jail.

Archdeacon Brooks.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 22.—Rev. J. C. Brooks, brother of the late Bishop Brooks and rector of Christ church in this city, was yesterday elected to the archdeaconry, recently established. Bishop Lawrence presided over the gathering.

In Memory of Bishop Payne.

BALTIMORE, May 22.—A monument to the memory of Daniel A. Payne of the African Methodist church was unveiled in Laurel cemetery yesterday. The money for the monument was raised by popular subscription.

HAWAII

The Constitution Soon to Go Into Effect.

OUTLINE OF THE DOCUMENT AS DRAFTED.

The Japanese Government is Directly Interested.

HONOLULU, May 15, via San Francisco, May 22.—The constitution convention, the members of which were elected on May 3, will meet on May 30. The new constitution will be presented to the convention for its approval.

The new government is to be called the Republic of Hawaii. The executive power will be vested in the president. The executive council will consist of five members, instead of four as at present, a minister of health and education being added. The upper house will consist of 15 senators. Senators must be 30 years old, able to read and write English, shall have resided in the islands three years, own property not less than $3000 in value and have an income of $1200 a year.

The assembly or lower house is to consist of 15 members, six from Oahu and three each from the other islands. They will serve two years only. A member of the assembly must be a citizen of Hawaii or of any country which has treaty relations with Hawaii, and have resided in the islands for a year, able to read and write the English or Hawaiian language, except in case of those who voted in the recent election.

Present Administration Acceptable.

Meetings of the legislature are to be held every two years. Each session is limited to 90 days and neither house can adjourn more than two days without the consent of the other. The president will have the power of veto, which can be overruled by a two-thirds vote of both houses. It is the present intention to have President Dole reappointed for a term of two years, possibly six, after which the offices will be filled by regular elections. It is more likely that the present ministers will be retained for a year, as their appointment rests with the president.

The new constitution can be amended or revised in the ordinary way, but it is expressly stipulated that amendments containing a proposition for the establishment of a monarchial form of government shall not be presented. Members of both houses are to receive $400 for each session. About 3750 votes were cast at the recent election. There was very little opposition on any of the islands.

The claim is now made that when the republic is declared, the natives will make the looked-for uprising. Royalist leaders say they are only restrained by the expressed wish of the ex-queen, who still has great faith in the United States. The report that the Ranger was coming here has again put hopes of speedy restoration in the royalist hearts.

Where Japan Comes In.

The steamer Gaelic arrived here from Japan with R. W. Irwin, the Hawaiian minister resident at Tokio, on board. It is supposed he has brought certain messages from the Japan government in regard to the matter of granting the franchise to the subjects of the mikado in Hawaii. It is expected that, in the event of a franchise being refused to the Japanese, their government intends to cut off treaty relations with Hawaii and to recall all Japanese in the islands.

If this is so, it will be a serious thing for the planters, as the present number of contract laborers is largely made up of Japanese, and it would be next to impossible to replace them in less than a year. Mr. Irwin is reticent on the subject, but it is known that he was the bearer of some dispatches to the government, and a special meeting of the council was held yesterday to discuss the matter.

As Viewed by the Engineers.

ST. PAUL, May 22.—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers adopted a resolution in regard to the bill before the senate to prevent interference with mail trains, declaring that it was a pernicious bill, "the purpose of which is to prevent organizations from securing by the only fair means in their power redress for their grievances and just compensation for their services."

The Armor Plate Frauds.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The proposed congressional investigation of the Carnegie armor plate frauds was reported favorably today by Representative Outhwaite of the house rules committee. The projectors of the investigation expect to have it under way the latter part of the week.

Concerning Wool.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—It is understood that Attorney General Olney has rendered an opinion in which he holds that the statutes allowing the re-warehousing of wool apply only to original importations and do not apply to re-importations after the wool has once been exported.

Maine Schooner Stranded.

MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., May 22.—The three-masted schooner A. F. Crockett of Rockland, Me., with a crew of six men, was stranded on the Jersey coast at Harvey island. The crew took to the rigging and were rescued by a volunteer crew of lifesavers.

Will Prove a Boomerang.

BERLIN, May 22.—The news of the Servian coup has made but a small impression here. All the papers declare that it will damage King Alexander's dynasty more than his country.

An Invite From Irving.

LONDON, May 22.—Henry Irving has invited Admiral Erben and the officers of the United States cruiser Chicago to attend a performance at the Lyceum theater.

Miss Marlowe to Wed.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The Herald's Washington correspondent gives an interview with Julia Marlowe, in which she says she is to marry Robert Taber, her former leading man, in New York, about two weeks hence.

WATERS ARE FALLING.

LOSSES BY FLOODS WILL REACH $1,500,000.

The Empire State Suffers Very Severely—Much Stock Drowned and Crops are Ruined.

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—Advices from the flooded districts indicate that the storm has spent its force and that the waters have begun to fall in those localities where the danger has seemed greatest. Other places farther down the swollen streams are threatened, but the worst is probably known.

The loss to property is terrible, and cannot even be approximated until the waters recede and accounts are cast up. The gas and electric light plants are under water and the city is without light.

Dispatches from Williamsport say that the flood reached its maximum height at 7 o'clock last night, when it was 35 feet above low water mark on the river register, and was eight feet deep on the pavement of the courthouse in the center of the city. The moment was an anxious one, and another foot meant still greater destruction. Already the waves were lapping the windowsills of the second stories of hundreds of houses. Will it go higher? Eager watchers scanned the register, trembling with mingled hope and fear.

The 35-foot mark proved an insurmountable barrier. For an hour the water hung at that point, and then, to the intense relief of thousands of anxious hearts, it began slowly to recede.

A 9 o'clock it had fallen a foot and was still going down, slowly to be sure, but surely enough to lift a terrible load from a multitude of hearts. All now feel that the worst has come and gone. The river has made a new record, 35 feet above low water. A million and a half in property has been destroyed, but so far as can be learned no lives have been lost. To give the losses in detail will be impossible. It cannot even be approximated, and the estimate of $1,500,000 is a conservative one.

NEW YORK'S DELUGE.

Bridges Wrecked, Live Stock Drowned and Crops Ruined.

BUFFALO, May 22.—Four days' continuous rain leaves this section of the state in a badly flooded condition, and creeks emptying into rivers have overflowed their banks and done an untold amount of damage.

Gill creek has flooded the entire Echola district, a suburb of Niagara Falls. Streets are under water and cellars are full. Residents are moving about on rafts.

Muddy Run creek on the Canadian side was a raging torrent and weakened and carried away parts of bridges. There were several landslides, but no severe damage.

At Leroy the Oataka creek has overflowed its banks and reached the highest point ever known. Cellars and low lying residences are flooded. The creek is a furious torrent and it is possible that one or two mill dams will be carried away. Trees, fences, dead cattle and other stock are passing down the creek. Farmers report many sheep drowned and crops ruined.

At Batavia the Tonawanda creek has overflowed its banks, doing considerable damage. On West Main street houses and small barns have been carried away, and the crops in gardens ruined.

At Lockport it has been raining almost incessantly since Thursday. Eighteen Mile creek, on which the factories are located, is very high. Lowlands in the valley north of the city are submerged, and crops have suffered severely.

At Medina Oak Orchard creek has nearly reached high water mark, and is rapidly rising. Crops on the lowlands are entirely submerged and ruined.

The rain continues to descend at Bath, and the Cohocton river is rapidly rising and will soon overflow its banks in the village near the Soldiers' Home. Traffic is blocked, the water being five feet deep on the highways.

Olean once more is an island and East Olean is a miniature Venice. The Allegany has been sweeping everything before it. In the streets of Portville the water is four or five feet deep. Not as much damage will be done as in 1889, perhaps, because the mills have been able this time to hold their logs, which got away from them in the other flood, and smashed houses and swept buildings from their foundations.

The Raging Mississippi.

ST. PAUL, May 22.—The Mississippi river is still rising rapidly. The district below the high bridge has grown into a veritable lake. A few outhouses on the flat it is impossible to reach at all. In many houses the kitchens are a foot deep with water. Over on the west side the condition of affairs is not quite so disastrous, the land being higher. There is little danger of a further rise unless there comes another heavy rain.

Panic Reigns at Lewisburg.

LEWISBURG, Pa., May 22.—The whole Susquehanna valley is inundated and the destruction and destitution is widespread. Lockhaven and Milton are in great distress, being under five feet of water. The waterworks, gasworks and electric light plant here have been stopped, and, until the flood recedes, the town will be without light or water. A number of bridges have been carried away and there have been extensive washouts. Hundreds of families are homeless and destitute of provisions. Millions of feet of logs and cut lumber and buildings of every description have swept past here. Business has been suspended and the streets are filled with an anxious and excited throng.

Bridge Holds Them.

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—Six three-masted schooners and a canal boat were carried from their moorings in the Schuylkill river by the flood, and lie jammed against South street bridge. The Mary Lord, one of the schooners, is sunk in mid-channel; the others are more or less damaged, and their weight threatens to carry away the bridge at any minute.

Danger Has Passed.

BRADFORD, Pa., May 22.—The flood has subsided here and the heavy downfall of rain has ceased. All danger is probably over. Property loss thus far on account of the flood in this city, $25,000.

Bullet Hole In His Lip.

AUGUSTA, Me., May 22.—Augustus Sawyer, residing in Monmouth, was found dead in a stall of his barn, covered with hay, yesterday afternoon. Sawyer was 70 years old and a bachelor. He is supposed to have had money in his house. Foul play is feared, as there was a bullet hole in the dead man's upper lip.

John L.'s Benefit.

BOSTON, May 22.—John L. Sullivan was given a testimonial benefit last night at the Casino, and 3000 people paid anywhere from $1 to $3 to see him spar. Sullivan made his appearance in the final bout of the evening with the veteran Paddy Ryan. The show itself was only fair.

Jugular Vein Was Severed.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 22.—Medical Examiner Swan held an autopsy on the body of Mrs. Ellen Wilson, who was murdered by her insane husband. He says death must have resulted within two minutes after the assault, as the razor severed the jugular vein.

Eminent Counsel Engaged.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The trial of Erastus Wiman for appropriating the funds of R. G. Dun & Co. has been set down for May 28. Wiman will be defended by ex-Secretary of the Navy Tracy and James N. Greenshields, queen's counsellor of Montreal.

Money For Greek Sufferers.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The appeal for contributions to relieve the great distress in Greece, caused by the recent earthquakes, has enabled the editors of The Atlantis to send $500 to the United States minister at Athens.

Friends Helped Them Out.

PROVIDENCE, May 22.—Harry Hallen and Eva Harland, charged with shoplifting goods from two Providence jewelry firms, admitted their guilt, and their fines, amounting to more than $100, were paid by friends.

A Big Discount.

BOSTON, May 22.—The famous yacht Puritan was sold under the hammer yesterday to Charles A. Welch, Jr., for $4700. The Puritan cost more than $23,000 to build. General Paine bought her at auction for $13,500, and yesterday the first bid on her was $3000.

Vasquez Was at New York.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The Press says ex-President Vasquez of Honduras has been in this city for the last three weeks and has been stopping at the Metropolitan hotel. He is traveling incognito. Learning that his identity had been discovered he has left the city.

The Price of a Vote.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The special committee appointed to investigate the charges of bribery met yesterday. Senator Kyle testified that Mr. Butz had offered him money for his vote, saying that he could have $75,000, and made an offer of $14,000 down.

Their Arrest Uncalled For.

MAYENCE, May 22.—The two Frenchmen who were arrested here for making sketches of the forts have been released. They proved that they were tourists, and had no sinister motive in making sketches.

Egyptian Porters on Strike.

PORT SAID, May 22.—Two thousand porters employed on the wharves here struck yesterday. The strikers made several desperate attacks upon the men who remained at work.

Officials Disagree.

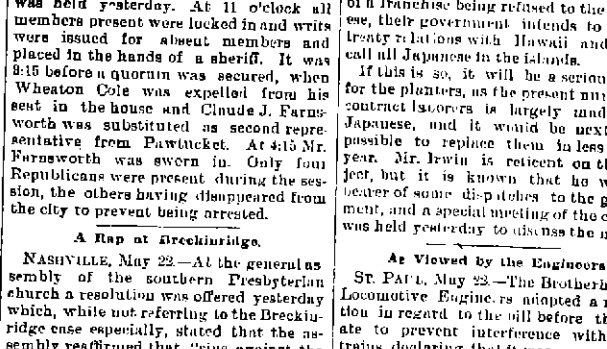
HAVERHILL, Mass., May 22.—W. A. Mowry, superintendent of public schools, has resigned. He states that he finds it impossible to conduct the schools as they should be conducted in harmony with the school board. His resignation was accepted.

The Columbia Is Safe.

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—The United States cruiser Columbia, for the safety of which some uneasiness has been felt, is reported at anchor off Bombay Hook, opposite Chester.

A Fatal Snake Bite.

WINSTED, Conn., May 22.—Michael Buckley of Rivington is dying from a snake bite received last Saturday when he was attacked by a 10-foot black snake.



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FOR SALE—A 2-story 2-tenement house, few steps from Hamilton and Appleton corporations, will rent for $25 per month, a rare opportunity for investment, price $2800. Fish & Plummer, 137 Central street.

FOR SALE—A nice cottage house of 7 rooms and shed all in best of condition, gas, cemented cellar, sewer connections, concrete walks, good lot of land room for stable, situated in one of the best locations in the Highlands. Few steps from Coral street.—Price $1650. Fish & Plummer, 137 Central street.

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SUN RISES..... 4 18 | MOON RISES .10 26 PM
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Forecast for Maine: Fair; warmer in western portion; variable winds.

For New Hampshire: Fair; warmer in southeast portion; east winds.

For Rhode Island and Connecticut: Fair; east winds.

For Vermont: Fair; east winds.

For Massachusetts: Fair; warmer in eastern portion; east winds.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

The grade crossings on Middlesex street have been placarded "Dangerous."

Mr. and Mrs. Evariste Cote of Moody street are rejoicing over the birth of a son.

John Conners and John Graves have returned from Windham, N. H., with a big string of fish.

Mr. Wm. S. Howard and Miss Addie Stickney were married by Rev. Dr. Seymour of the First Baptist church, Saturday.

The band concert which was to have been held on the city hall lot last Friday night, will be held this week Friday and the program will be the same as previously announced.

Where the workmen are employed on East Merrimack street was a sign yesterday "Wanted 500 men at South Lowell, April 21, 1894." This was the date announced for Swift's army meeting at that place.

Rev. Thomas S. Sayers, Rev. Dr. Seymour, Mrs. Seymour and daughter, Rev. Mr. Millington, Miss May Walsh and Deacon Miller of the Fifth street church, are members of a party which left Lowell today to attend the Baptist meetings at Saratoga.

The officers and members of the Paige street church and society have sent the board of aldermen a vote of thanks for their refusal to grant a transfer of license to the corner of Bridge and Paige streets, and a vote of thanks to the license committee for its courtesy at the hearing.

The operatic company which took part in Pinafore winter before last, is to sing at Ayer, Thursday, for the benefit of Rev. Fr. Sheedy's church. T. F. Molloy will have charge of the performance. The cast will be: Miss Lizzie McLaughlin, as Josephine; Mr. Molloy, as Ralph Rackstraw; Mr. Blunt, as the admiral; Harry Huse, the captain; D. S. O'Brien, the boatswain; Miss Mary McLaughlin, Buttercup; Miss Louise McLaughlin, Hebe; with a large chorus. Miss Hattie Pressey will be the pianist.

An Error Corrected.

The statement in yesterday's SUN that a liquor seizure had been made at 196 Gorham street was wrong; it should have read Worthen street. The error was the source of much annoyance to the family residing on Gorham street, and so was especially unfortunate.

Ladies' Suits and Garments.

George F. Stiles, deputy sheriff and messenger, will sell by private sale, by order of the court of insolvency, all the stock in the store occupied by the Beaver Cloak company, in Hildreth building, consisting of ladies' cloaks, capes, suits, &c., at less than cost. Sale opens today.

City Committee Meeting.

William V. Meade, secretary of the democratic city committee has engaged Jackson hall for a meeting of the new city committee tomorrow evening. At first it was intended to call the meeting for Thursday evening, but as the hall is engaged for that evening, it was decided to hold the meeting Wednesday.

Some Sparring Points.

The entries for the open classes in the L. C. A. A. boxing tournament Saturday will close tonight, and the committee will have before it a difficult task to pick out the men, as all the classes are filled four times over. There are fully a dozen entries from Lowell, some of the cleverest sparrers to be found including "Kid" Mulligan who perhaps is the best 126 pound man in Lowell.

A big attendance is expected, including many ladies, for this will be the first time an opportunity has been offered for ladies to see scientific exhibitions of the manly art. All contestants will spar in proper clothing. The club house veranda and roof will be reserved for members and their ladies, while half the grand stand will be reserved.

FOR MEMORIAL DAY.

List of Aids Reported and Changes Suggested For the Day's Observance.

Chief Marshal Davis of the Memorial Day parade has appointed W. W. Tuttle chief of staff, and has named the following aids:

J. P. Thompson, J. C. Conroy, S. Sherwood, Post 42; Orrin Bartlett, C. H. Stickney, S. Ripley, Post 120; D. Whithed, J. P. Emerson, Moses Wyman, Post 185; Marcus Wight, honorary, Bosworth post, Me.; F. E. Lancey, H. E. Gray, Camp Farragut, Walter Colburn, Camp Greenhalge, S. of V.; Sergt. Lewis, G. Hunton, Alfred Davis, G Co. 6th Regt.; Edwin Barnes, D Co. Second Corps Cadets; C. F. Butler, Arthur Lyman, High School battalion.

All arrangements for the observance of the day are now complete. A meeting of the committee was held last evening, and a letter of regret was received from Rev. Dr. Conrt, who on account of illness will be unable to attend the exercises on Memorial evening. Rev. Dr. Hall will also be unable to attend, owing to a previous engagement at Portsmouth.

Comrade Pinkham reported that the invited guests will be received at the American house in the afternoon. It was decided to place the standards in charge of the recorder of burials. Co. M, Ninth Regiment has accepted an invitation to participate in the parade, and at the exercises in the evening an original poem by Miss Cora B. Bass, dedicated to the G. A. R., will be read.

The parade will move in the following order:

Platoon of police. Union band, chief marshal and staff, militia companies M, G, C and D, music, Post 42, music, Post 120, music, Post 185, Dahlgren Post Naval Veterans, Sons of Veterans, High school battalion.

The battalion of militia will be in charge of Capt. Mitten.

The cemeteries will be visited by the following posts:

Post 42 is assigned to decorate the Hildreth cemetery, Post 120 and the Naval Veterans the Lowell cemetery, Post 185 the Gorham street cemeteries, S. of V. and disabled veterans the School street cemetery.

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For Our Bicyclers.

Henry Dahlberg is getting in excellent racing trim and if he continues to improve this season and wins prizes he may go to New York state next season and go into training to ride for one of the big concerns building machines.

Trust Company Won.

The committee on finance settled the question of city balances and their place of deposit last night. The Trust company still retains them at 2 5-100 per cent. interest to the city. The Traders' National bank bid 2 per cent.

City Hall Lot

The city hall commission decided last evening to remove the Victory statue at Monument square and place it in position at some point between Memorial building and City hall. Bids for the curbing and grading of the city hall lot were opened and were as follows: C F. Foss & Co., $13,750; W. H. Fuller, $13,038; L. D. Gumb, $13,000; Charles Runels, $12,498; P. O'Hearn, $11,984. The contract was awarded to P. O'Hearn as the lowest bidder.

An Early Morning Bath.

About seven o'clock this morning a workman employed at the East Merrimack street bridge came to work down the Concord river in a boat. The oarsman did not see a rope which was stretched across the river just below the bridge for part of it was under water. When the boat struck the rope it was overturned. The oarsman let go his oars and grabbed the rope and worked along on it till he came to the dredger scow. Then three workmen pulled him out as they would a drowned rat. The upset made a funny sight but fortunately the chief actor in it escaped with only a ducking.

COAT OF WHITEWASH

Applied to the Giants In an Interesting Game at Boston.

BOSTON, May 21.—The local team were very lucky, inasmuch as the visitors touched "Kid" Nichols up for eight hits, but they were scattered, and did no real damage. There was no little interest to see how young Murphy would play, and he made a big hit, having plenty to do and doing it well, to the great satisfaction of the "bleachers." Umpire Stage made his debut in this city as a League umpire, and it was far from a successful one, both teams suffering greatly. Westervelt let Duffy score twice on wild pitches, and let Nash get his base on a wild throw to Doyle, only to be brought home on hits by Ganzel, Bannon and Ryan.

Boston	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	—3
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Base hits—Boston, 8; New York, 8. Errors—Boston, 1; New York, 2. Batteries—Nichols and Ryan; Westervelt and Farrell.

At Chicago:

Pittsburg	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	7	2—11
Chicago	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	2—10

Base hits—Pittsburg, 11; Chicago, 10. Errors—Pittsburg, 3. Batteries—Killen and Mack; McGill and Schriver.

At Cleveland.

Cincinnati	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0—2
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—1

Base hits—Cincinnati, 9; Cleveland, 7. Errors—Cincinnati, 2. Batteries—Parrott and Murphy, Young and O'Connor.

At Bangor—Pawtucket, 4; Bangor, 2.

At Haverhill—Haverhill, 6; Worcester, 3.

At Portland—Portland, 10; Brockton, 5.

At Lewiston—Lewiston, 7; Fall River, 2.

POLITICS AND RELIGION.

A Mixture Which Is Likely to Cause Much Trouble In Newfoundland.

ST JOHN'S, N F, May 22.—Reports from Bay de Verde give cause for great alarm, as the question of religion has been entered in the election campaign. Ex-Colonial Secretary Bond is urging the Catholics to band together in order to preserve their liberties against the Orangemen who, he tells them, are desirous of keeping them in a condition of servitude.

These utterances have had the effect of setting all the people at each other's heads, and the voting will be largely influenced by the religious professions of the voters. The election is being held today, though the result of the vote will not be known until tomorrow night.

Leaders Go to Jail.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Coxey, Browne and Jones were sentenced by Judge Miller to 20 days in jail for violating the statutes of the United States, prohibiting the display of partisan banners in the Capitol grounds, and Coxey and Browne were fined $5 each, additional, for trespassing on the grass, the alternative being another 10 days in jail. Jones was acquitted on this last charge.

The Cordaville Duel.

BOSTON, May 22.—Peter P. Kelly, son of the proprietor of the Grand house in Cordaville where the shooting melee occurred Sunday, was brought to the Massachusetts general hospital last night for treatment. A bullet from Rafferty's revolver entered his left side, two inches below the heart, and he is not expected to recover. There is a possibility of Rafferty's recovery.

Wandered Around the World.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 22.—The Examiner says that Mrs. W. A. Martin, a wealthy woman, the wife of the manager of the New York Witness, who with her 7-year-old boy has been missing from home for two years, has been found here. Mrs. Martin is said to have wandered all over the world in that time. She is considered mentally unsound.

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RAILROAD STOCKS AND BOND ISSUES.

The Referendum Amendment Considered—The 400 Feet Bill Ordered to Third Reading.

BOSTON, May 22.—The senate ordered to a third reading the bill to exempt property in the hands of foreign executors, administrators and trustees from double taxation.

The bill relative to granting licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors to be exercised on premises within 400 feet of public schools, measured on street lines, was ordered to a third reading.

The bill providing that only registered pharmacists shall be eligible to receive druggists' liquor licenses was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. Milton moved to amend the bill relative to the issue of stock and bonds by railroad and street railway companies, by providing that nothing in the measure shall be construed as requiring the approval of the railroad commissioners to the issue by any railroad company of capital stock or bonds duly authorized by this commonwealth, the proceeds of which are to be expended in another state or country, or which are to pay for borrowed money expended in another state or country. The amendment was adopted, and the bill was passed to be engrossed as amended.

The Haverhill police bill was ordered to a third reading in the house.

The bill to prevent foreign corporations from issuing stock and other securities upon the property, franchise or stock of street railway, gas or electric light companies was passed to be engrossed.

The bill requiring insurance companies to fully define contracts in policies issued by them was passed to be engrossed.

Under a suspension of the rules the bill to provide for an investigation of the subject of a general municipal administration for the city of Boston and adjoining municipalities was passed to be engrossed.

On the resolve providing for an amendment to the constitution relating to the right of qualified voters to approve or reject laws, the house nonconcurred in the senate amendment limiting the operation of the proposed amendment so that voters may only pass upon contemplated measures relating to the qualification and registration of voters.

The bill to regulate the use of bicycles and other similar vehicles in public ways, more specifically defining the rights of pedestrians on highways, and compelling riders of bicycles to use bells and lanterns to warn travelers, was passed to be engrossed.

The senate amendments to the bill relative to the intimidation of laborers were concurred in.

The bill to prevent the active participation of members of state commissions in matters affecting proposed legislation was rejected.

Coal Mines Resume Operations.

BALTIMORE, May 22.—Everything is quiet in the George's creek mining region. The three mines of the Consolidation company are operating on full time and are turning out 2000 tons of coal a day. The coal men say they will be able to fill orders about the last of the present week.

To Benefit Alaskans.

MASON, Wis., May 22.—The colony of 16 Laplanders, with 12 dogs, brought to America by the federal government, left here yesterday for San Francisco. The Laplanders will sail thence to Alaska to educate the natives in the raising and use of reindeer and Lapp dogs.

Passed a Sunken Steamer.

NEW YORK, May 22.—Captain Stormer of the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II reported that while coming up the bay he passed what seemed to be a sunken steamer. The weather being thick, he was unable to make out what it was.

Nearly Five Thousand Out.

CINCINNATI, May 22.—All the carpenters and mill hands in Cincinnati, Covington and Newport have been ordered on a strike because the boss carpenters have refused to agree to an advance in wages. Nearly 5000 men are affected.

Coming to America.

BERLIN, May 22.—It is reported here that ex-Chancellor Leist, the German official who is charged with so many atrocities during his administration of the Cameroon colony, West Africa, has fled to the United States.

Came From Connecticut.

GARDINER, Me., May 22.—There is a case of smallpox at the National Soldiers' Home. The patient came from Connecticut, and has been separated from the other inmates.

Hill Returns to Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Senator Hill was in his seat in the senate yesterday for the first time for two weeks. Regarding the report that he was preparing a new tariff bill as a substitute for the pending bill, he simply said: "Haven't they enough tariff bills now? The criticisms seem to be general that there are too many."

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THAT NEW CREMATOR.

Description of the Piece of Apparatus Which the Investigating Committee Went to See.

The Wilmington Garbage crematory, which the committee appointed by the Lowell city government, on the disposal of garbage, went to inspect, is erected on a large plot of land, situated about one mile from the center of the city, and adjoining many dwellings and the large ship and car works of Harlan and Hallingsworth.

The building is a wooden structure, tightly built. According to the statement of Mr. Colquhuin, secretary of the board of health of Wilmington, the crematory is capable of destroying 6 tons of garbage each hour, and it requires but 20 gallons of oil for this amount.

The cost is in the vicinity of 40 to 43 cents per ton gross, but deducting the amount received from the sale of the ashes, leaves a net cost of from 20 to 22½ cents per ton. In Wilmington the city is divided into four districts under the watch of three men. There are 15 wagons which bring in a couple of loads of swill each day. No complaint has ever been made that unpleasant odors are emitted from the crematory.

The cremator is 48 feet long and 9 feet wide. There are ten dumping ports, and through any one of these, by means of a tunnel-like arrangement the garbage is thrown into the flame. The fire which consumes it is heated to a temperature of 2800 degrees, and the flame passes both over and under the garbage, so that the swill is thoroughly burned. There is a pipe attached to the cremator which exhausts air from the building, and by means of it all the odor and gas are put back into the furnace and destroyed without being allowed to escape. Air is injected into the machine by means of an eight horse power blower the current being such that it carries the flame through the furnace, both over and under the garbage. All the water in the crematory is converted into steam and then decomposed by means of a radiating chamber underneath. The oil is fed to the cremator from a large tank outside the building.

Formerly, in Wilmington, the garbage was collected by contractors who had piggeries on the outskirts of the city, and fed the swill to swine. Considerable objection was raised to this, and in 1892 Mr. Colquhuin visited numerous cities, including Lowell, in the United States, and upon his return recommended cremation as the best means of disposing of garbage. He told the board of health that in his opinion the best furnaces were the Brown, Engel and Hervey.

He had seen the Brown system at work near one of the docks in Boston. A site was first secured and then bids were called for and received from the American Garbage Crematory company, representing the Brown system, and from the Engel system.

The contract was awarded the American company, and the Brown system was established in Wilmington. The company filed a bond of $2500 for five years, guaranteeing that the cost of repairs for the crematory would not exceed $500 a year; that the gross cost of detroying garbage would not exceed 45 cents per ton; and that no unpleasant odors shall be emitted. The plant cost the city $10,000, of which $2500 was paid for the upper floor of the building which is built of iron rods, wrought iron and cement. The sum of $2600 has been appropriated by the city to run the crematory this year, and it costs about $11,000 to collect the garbage of the whole city. The Flannigan improved steel garbage cart is used in the collection of garbage and three trips are made to each locality during the week. The section covered is about 1 3-4 miles square.

The cart when loaded weighs 2800 lbs. Last January the city sold 10 tons of the ashes for $100; and a factory near by has offered to purchase all the ashes during the year for $9 per ton.

Just for a test the men have burned 70 tons of swill during a period of 12 hours.

The crematory was worked while the committee was inspecting it, and several loads of garbage were burned in surprisingly quick time.

Mr. Brown, inventor of the Brown system was present during the inspection, as were Mr. McBarron of the American Garbage Crematory company, and members of the Wilmington board of health. The board of health consists of three physicians, Dr. John P. Wales, Dr. A. E. Frantz and Dr. Willard Spring; Joseph Jenkins, a practical plumber; J. C. Lewis, general superintendent of the Diamond State Iron company; and William Colquhuin.

QUEEN VICTORIA

Officiated at the Formal Opening of the Big Ship Canal.

MANCHESTER, Eng. May 22—The formal opening of the Manchester ship canal to traffic of the world was accomplished yesterday amid the greatest enthusiasm, the queen being present. The various guards of honor comprised about 1000 men, and about 5000 troops guarded the streets through which the royal procession passed.

Arriving at Trafford wharf, the queen embarked on board the royal yacht Enchantress, which steamed up the canal in the vicinity of Salford docks, where the queen formally declared the Manchester ship canal open to commerce.

An Album of San Antonio

THE SUN acknowledges the receipt of a beautiful photographic album of San Antonio, Tex., from Rev. Fr. Emery, O. M. I., who is now stationed there. It contains views of the principal buildings including the historic Alamo, built in 1718 and captured by the Mexicans in 1835 and rebuilt in 1850. It has also a fine view of the first mission church of the Oblate order in that locality. This edifice is not unlike the Immaculate Conception of this city although built in 1731.

McCarthy, the pitcher of the Mathews, pitched a fine game for the Worcesters against the Haverhills, yesterday.

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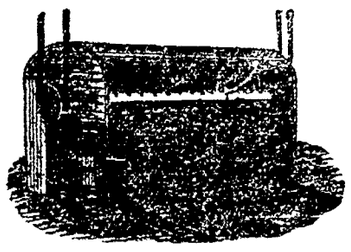

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SUN SETS..... 7 06 | FULL SEA | .. 12 46 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..14 50 | ..... | .. 1 15 PM

Forecast for Maine: Fair; warmer in western portion; variable winds.

For New Hampshire: Fair; warmer in southeast portion; east winds.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

The grade crossings on Middlesex street have been placarded "Dangerous."

Mr. and Mrs. Evariste Cote of Moody street are rejoicing over the birth of a son.

John Conners and John Graves have returned from Windham, N. H., with a big string of fish.

Mr. Wm. S. Howard and Miss Addie Stickney were married by Rev. Dr. Seymour of the First Baptist church, Saturday.

The band concert which was to have been held on the city hall lot last Friday night, will be held this week Friday and the program will be the same as previously announced.

Where the workmen are employed on East Merrimack street was a sign yesterday "Wanted 500 men at South Lowell, April 21, 1894." This was the date announced for Swift's army meeting at that place.

Rev. Thomas S. Sayers, Rev. Dr. Seymour, Mrs. Seymour and daughter, Rev. Mr. Millington, Miss May Walsh and Deacon Miller of the Fifth street church, are members of a party which left Lowell today to attend the Baptist meetings at Saratoga.

The officers and members of the Paige street church and society have sent the board of aldermen a vote of thanks for their refusal to grant a transfer of license to the corner of Bridge and Paige streets, and a vote of thanks to the license committee for its courtesy at the hearing.

The operatic company which took part in Pinafore winter before last, is to sing at Ayer, Thursday, for the benefit of Rev. Fr. Sheedy's church. T. E. Molloy will have charge of the performance. The cast will be: Miss Lizzie McLaughlin, as Josephine; Mr. Molloy, as Ralph Rackstraw; Mr. Blunt, as the admiral; Harry Huse, the captain; D. S. O'Brien, the boatswain; Miss Mary McLaughlin, Buttercup; Miss Louise McLaughlin, Hebe; with a large chorus. Miss Hattie Pressey will be the pianist.

An Error Corrected.

The statement in yesterday's SUN that a liquor seizure had been made at 196 Gorham street was wrong; it should have read Worthen street. The error was the source of much annoyance to the family residing on Gorham street, and so was especially unfortunate.

Ladies' Suits and Garments.

George F. Stiles, deputy sheriff and messenger, will sell by private sale, by order of the court of insolvency, all the stock in the store occupied by the Beaver Cloak company, in Hildreth building, consisting of ladies' cloaks, capes, suits, &c., at less than cost. Sale opens today.

City Committee Meeting.

William V. Meade, secretary of the democratic city committee has engaged Jackson hall for a meeting of the new city committee tomorrow evening. At first it was intended to call the meeting for Thursday evening, but as the hall is engaged for that evening, it was decided to hold the meeting Wednesday.

Some Sparring Points.

The entries for the open classes in the L. C. A. A. boxing tournament Saturday will close tonight, and the committee will have before it a difficult task to pick out the men, as all the classes are filled four times over. There are fully a dozen entries from Lowell, some of the cleverest sparrers to be found including "Kid" Mulligan who perhaps is the best 126 pound man in Lowell.

A big attendance is expected, including many ladies, for this will be the first time an opportunity has been offered for ladies to see scientific exhibitions of the manly art. All contestants will spar in proper clothing. The club house veranda and roof will be reserved for members and their ladies, while half the grand stand will be reserved.

FOR MEMORIAL DAY.

List of Aids Reported and Changes Suggested For the Day's Observance.

Chief Marshal Davis of the Memorial Day parade has appointed W. W. Tuttle chief of staff, and has named the following aids:

J. P. Thompson, J. C. Conroy, S. Sherwood, Post 42; Orrin Bartlett, C. H. Stickney, S. Ripley, Post 120; D. Whithed, J. P. Emerson, Moses Wyman, Post 185; Marcus Wight, honorary, Bosworth post, Me.; F. E. Lancey, H. E. Gray, Camp Farragut, Walter Colburn, Camp Greenhalge, S. of V.; Sergt. Lewis, G. Hunton, Alfred Davis, G Co. 6th Regt.; Edwin Barnes, D Co. Second Corps Cadets; C. F. Butler, Arthur Lyman, High School battalion.

All arrangements for the observance of the day are now complete. A meeting of the committee was held last evening, and a letter of regret was received from Rev. Dr. Conrt, who on account of illness will be unable to attend the exercises on Memorial evening. Rev. Dr. Hall will also be unable to attend, owing to a previous engagement at Portsmouth.

Comrade Pinkham reported that the invited guests will be received at the American house in the afternoon. It was decided to place the standards in charge of the recorder of burials. Co. M, Ninth Regiment has accepted an invitation to participate in the parade, and at the exercises in the evening an original poem by Miss Cora B. Bass, dedicated to the G. A. R., will be read.

The parade will move in the following order:

Platoon of police, Union band, chief marshal and staff, militia companies M, G, C and D, music, Post 42, music, Post, 120, music, Post 185, Dahlgren Post Naval Veterans, Sons of Veterans, High school battalion.

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Judge Sheldon has set aside the verdict for the plaintiff in the case of Spearman vs. Lowell & Suburban Street Railway company.

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The Easter Whist club met Monday with Mrs. Fred White on South Hastings street. Mrs. F. H. Byam won the first prize, Mrs. F. E. Shaw the second, and Mrs. C. H. Warren the Easter.

For Our Bicyclers.

Henry Dahlberg is getting in excellent racing trim and if he continues to improve this season and wins prizes he may go to New York state next season and go into training to ride for one of the big concerns building machines.

Trust Company Won.

The committee on finance settled the question of city balances and their place of deposit last night. The Trust company still retains them at 2 5-100 per cent. interest to the city. The Traders' National bank bid 2 per cent.

City Hall Lot.

The city hall commission decided last evening to remove the Victory statue at Monument square and place it in position at some point between Memorial building and City hall. Bids for the curbing and grading of the city hall lot were opened and were as follows: C. F. Foss & Co., $13,750; W. H. Fuller, $13,038; L. D. Gamb, $13,000; Charles Ranels, $12,498; P. O'Hearn, $11,984. The contract was awarded to P. O'Hearn as the lowest bidder.

An Early Morning Bath.

About seven o'clock this morning a workman employed at the East Merrimack street bridge came to work down the Concord river in a boat. The oarsman did not see a rope which was stretched across the river just below the bridge for part of it was under water. When the boat struck the rope it was overturned. The oarsman let go his oars and grabbed the rope and worked along on it till he came to the dredger scow. Then three workmen pulled him out as they would a drowned rat. The upset made a funny sight but fortunately the chief actor in it escaped with only a ducking.

COAT OF WHITEWASH

Applied to the Giants In an Interesting Game at Boston.

BOSTON, May 21.—The local team were very lucky, inasmuch as the visitors touched "Kid" Nichols up for eight hits, but they were scattered, and did no real damage. There was no little interest to see how young Murphy would play, and he made a big hit, having plenty to do and doing it well, to the great satisfaction of the "bleachers." Umpire Stage made his debut in this city as a League umpire, and it was far from a successful one, both teams suffering greatly. Westervelt let Duffy score twice on wild pitches, and let Nash get his base on a wild throw to Doyle, only to be brought home on hits by Ganzel, Bannon and Ryan.

Boston	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	—3
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Base hits—Boston, 5; New York, 8. Errors—Boston, 1; New York, 2. Batteries—Nichols and Ryan; Westervelt and Farrell.

At Chicago:

Pittsburg	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	7	2—11
Chicago	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	2—10

Base hits—Pittsburg, 11; Chicago, 10. Errors—Pittsburg, 3. Batteries—Killen and Mack; McGill and Schriver.

At Cleveland:

Cincinnati	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0—2
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—1

Base hits—Cincinnati, 9; Cleveland, 7. Errors—Cincinnati, 3. Batteries—Parrott and Murphy; Young and O'Connor.

At Bangor—Pawtucket, 4; Bangor, 2.
At Haverhill—Haverhill, 0; Worcester, 8.
At Portland—Portland, 10; Brockton, 5.
At Lewiston—Lewiston, 7; Fall River, 2.

POLITICS AND RELIGION.

A Mixture Which Is Likely to Cause Much Trouble In Newfoundland.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., May 22.—Reports from Bay de Verde give cause for great alarm, as the question of religion has been entered in the election campaign. Ex-Colonial Secretary Bond is urging the Catholics to band together in order to preserve their liberties against the Orangemen, who, he tells them, are desirous of keeping them in a condition of servitude.

These utterances have had the effect of setting all the people at each other's heads, and the voting will be largely influenced by the religious professions of the voters. The election is being held today, though the result of the vote will not be known until tomorrow night.

Leaders Go to Jail.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Coxey, Browne and Jones were sentenced by Judge Miller to 30 days in jail for violating the statutes of the United States, prohibiting the display of partisan banners in the Capitol grounds, and Coxey and Browne were fined $5 each, additional, for trespassing on the grass, the alternative being another 10 days in jail. Jones was acquitted on this last charge.

The Cordaville Duel.

BOSTON, May 22.—Peter P. Kelly, son of the proprietor of the road house in Cordaville where the shooting affair occurred Sunday, was brought to the Massachusetts general hospital last night for treatment. A bullet from Rafferty's revolver entered his left side, two inches below the heart, and he is not expected to recover. There is a possibility of Rafferty's recovery.

Wandered Around the World.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 22.—The Examiner says that Mrs. W. A. Martin, a wealthy woman, the wife of the manager of the New York Witness, who with her 7-year-old boy has been missing from home for two years, has been found here. Mrs. Martin is said to have wandered all over the world in that time. She is considered mentally unsound.

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RAILROAD STOCKS AND BOND ISSUES.

The Referendum Amendment Considered—The 400 Feet Bill Ordered to Third Reading.

BOSTON, May 22.—The senate ordered to a third reading the bill to exempt property in the hands of foreign executors, administrators and trustees from double taxation.

The bill relative to granting licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors to be exercised on premises within 400 feet of public schools, measured on street lines, was ordered to a third reading.

The bill providing that only registered pharmacists shall be eligible to receive druggists' liquor licenses was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. Milton moved to amend the bill relative to the issue of stock and bonds by railroad and street railway companies, by providing that nothing in the measure shall be construed as requiring the approval of the railroad commissioners to the issue by any railroad company of capital stock or bonds duly authorized by this commonwealth, the proceeds of which are to be expended in another state or country, or which are to pay for borrowed money expended in another state or country. The amendment was adopted, and the bill was passed to be engrossed as amended.

The Haverhill police bill was ordered to a third reading in the house.

The bill to prevent foreign corporations from issuing stock and other securities upon the property, franchise or stock of street railway, gas or electric light companies was passed to be engrossed.

The bill requiring insurance companies to fully define contracts in policies issued by them was passed to be engrossed.

Under a suspension of the rules the bill to provide for an investigation of the subject of a general municipal administration for the city of Boston and adjoining municipalities was passed to be engrossed.

On the resolve providing for an amendment to the constitution relating to the right of qualified voters to approve or reject laws, the house nonconcurred in the senate amendment limiting the operation of the proposed amendment so that voters may only pass upon contemplated measures relating to the qualification and registration of voters.

The bill to regulate the use of bicycles and other similar vehicles in public ways, more specifically defining the rights of pedestrians on highways, and compelling riders of bicycles to use bells and lanterns to warn travelers, was passed to be engrossed.

The senate amendments to the bill relative to the intimidation of laborers were concurred in.

The bill to prevent the active participation of members of state commissions in matters affecting proposed legislation was rejected.

Coal Mines Resume Operations.

BALTIMORE, May 22.—Everything is quiet in the George's creek mining region. The three mines of the Consolidation company are operating on full time and are turning out 2000 tons of coal a day. The coal men say they will be able to fill orders about the last of the present week.

To Benefit Alaskans.

MASON, Wis., May 22.—The colony of 16 Laplanders, with 12 dogs, brought to America by the federal government, left here yesterday for San Francisco. The Laplanders will sail thence to Alaska to educate the natives in the raising and use of reindeer and Lapp dogs.

Passed a Sunken Steamer.

NEW YORK, May 22.—Captain Stormer of the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II reported that while coming up the bay he passed what seemed to be a sunken steamer. The weather being thick, he was unable to make out what it was.

Nearly Five Thousand Out.

CINCINNATI, May 22.—All the carpenters and mill hands in Cincinnati, Covington and Newport have been ordered on a strike because the boss carpenters have refused to agree to an advance in wages. Nearly 5000 men are affected.

Coming to America.

BERLIN, May 22.—It is reported here that ex-Chancellor Leist, the German official who is charged with so many atrocities during his administration of the Cameroon colony, West Africa, has fled to the United States.

Came From Connecticut.

GARDINER, Me., May 22.—There is a case of smallpox at the National Soldiers' Home. The patient came from Connecticut, and has been separated from the other inmates.

Hill Returns to Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Senator Hill was in his seat in the senate yesterday for the first time for two weeks. Regarding the report that he was preparing a new tariff bill as a substitute for the pending bill, he simply said: "Haven't they enough tariff bills now? The criticisms seem to be general that there are too many."

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THAT NEW CREMATOR.

Description of the Piece of Apparatus Which the Investigating Committee Went to See.

The Wilmington Garbage crematory, which the committee appointed by the Lowell city government, on the disposal of garbage, went to inspect, is erected on a large plot of land, situated about one mile from the center of the city, and adjoining many dwellings and the large ship and car works of Harlan and Hollingsworth.

The building is a wooden structure, tightly built. According to the statement of Mr. Colquhuin, secretary of the board of health of Wilmington, the crematory is capable of destroying 6 tons of garbage each hour, and it requires but 20 gallons of oil for this amount.

The cost is in the vicinity of 40 to 48 cents per ton gross, but deducting the amount received from the sale of the ashes, leaves a net cost of from 20 to 22½ cents per ton. In Wilmington the city is divided into four districts under the watch of three men. There are 15 wagons which bring in a couple of loads of swill each day. No complaint has ever been made that unpleasant odors are emitted from the crematory.

The cremator is 48 feet long and 9 feet wide. There are ten dumping ports, and through any one of these, by means of a funnel-like arrangement the garbage is thrown into the flame. The fire which consumes it is heated to a temperature of 2800 degrees, and the flame passes both over and under the garbage, so that the swill is thoroughly burned. There is a pipe attached to the cremator which exhausts air from the building, and by means of it all the odor and gas are put back into the furnace and destroyed without being allowed to escape. Air is injected into the machine by means of an eight horse power blower the current being such that it carries the flame through the furnace, both over and under the garbage. All the water in the crematory is converted into steam and then decomposed by means of a radiating chamber underneath. The oil is fed to the cremator from a large tank outside the building.

Formerly, in Wilmington, the garbage was collected by contractors who had piggeries on the outskirts of the city, and fed the swill to swine. Considerable objection was raised to this, and in 1892 Mr. Colquhuin visited numerous cities, including Lowell, in the United States, and upon his return recommended cremation as the best means of disposing of garbage. He told the board of health that in his opinion the best furnaces were the Brown, Engel and Hervey.

He had seen the Brown system at work near one of the docks in Boston. A site was first secured and then bids were called for and received from the American Garbage Crematory company, representing the Brown system, and from the Engel system.

The contract was awarded the American company, and the Brown system was established in Wilmington. The company filed a bond of $2500 for five years, guaranteeing that the cost of repairs for the crematory would not exceed $500 a year; that the gross cost of destroying garbage would not exceed 45 cents per ton; and that no unpleasant odors shall be emitted. The plant cost the city $10,000, of which $2500 was paid for the upper floor of the building which is built of iron rods, wrought iron and cement. The sum of $2000 has been appropriated by the city to run the crematory this year, and it costs about $11,000 to collect the garbage of the whole city. The Flannigan improved steel garbage cart is used in the collection of garbage and three trips are made to each locality during the week. The section covered is about 1 3-4 miles square.

The cart when loaded weighs 2800 lbs. Last January the city sold 10 tons of the ashes for $100; and a factory near by has offered to purchase all the ashes during the year for $9 per ton.

Just for a test the men have burned 70 tons of swill during a period of 12 hours.

The crematory was worked while the committee was inspecting it, and several loads of garbage were burned in surprisingly quick time.

Mr. Brown, inventor of the Brown system was present during the inspection, as were Mr. McBarron of the American Garbage Crematory company, and members of the Wilmington board of health. The board of health consists of three physicians, Dr. John P. Wales, Dr. A. E. Frantz and Dr. Willard Spring; Joseph Jenkins, a practical plumber; J. C. Lewis, general superintendent of the Diamond State Iron company; and William Colquhuin.

QUEEN VICTORIA

Officiated at the Formal Opening of the Big Ship Canal.

MANCHESTER, Eng. May 22—The formal opening of the Manchester ship canal to traffic of the world was accomplished yesterday amid the greatest enthusiasm, the queen being present. The various guards of honor comprised about 1000 men, and about 5000 troops guarded the streets through which the royal procession passed.

Arriving at Trafford wharf, the queen embarked on board the royal yacht Enchantress, which steamed up the canal in the vicinity of Salford docks, where the queen formally declared the Manchester ship canal open to commerce.

An Album of San Antonio.

THE SUN acknowledges the receipt of a beautiful photographic album of San Antonio, Tex., from Rev. Fr. Emery, O. M. I., who is now stationed there. It contains views of the principal buildings including the historic Alamo, built in 1718 and captured by the Mexicans in 1835 and rebuilt in 1850. It has also a fine view of the first mission church of the Oblate order in that locality. This edifice is not unlike the Immaculate Conception of this city although built in 1731.

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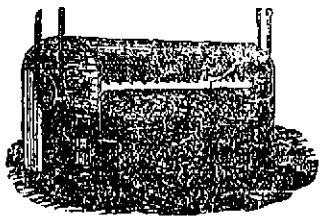

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